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AID OF CARRANZA IN DISPERSING BANDITS IS TO BE REQUESTED

Plans for Co-Operation in Scouring Northern Mexico Are to be Sought in Conference

WOULD DIVIDE TERRITORY

Obregon to be Informed United States Still Has Fear of Other Raids Along Border

TO BE GIVEN ASSURANCES

That Troops Will be Withdrawn When Bandits are Destroyed

Washington, April 28.—On the eve of the conference at Juarez between General Obregon, Carranza's war minister, and Major Generals Scott and Funston, representing the United States, it became known here tonight that the American officers have been instructed to work out in detail military plans for the co-operation of the Mexican and American troops in the dispersing of bandit bands, including a division of Northern Mexico into spheres of activities for the two forces.

Thorough Search Proposed.

Generally speaking, the aim of Generals Scott and Funston will be to secure consent to the employment of the American troops in the territory immediately south of the border, and to the organization of the Mexican forces along definite lines in order that all of Northern Mexico may be scoured thoroughly for Villa and other outlaws.

General Obregon will be told that the United States is not yet satisfied that American border towns will be safe from further raids if the American troops are withdrawn but will be assured that the troops will be withdrawn just as soon as there are reasonable grounds for such a belief.

The Mexican question, including the instructions to Generals Scott and Funston, were gone over fully at today's cabinet meeting, the first held while it was determined to send General Scott to the border to see General Obregon.

Press reports that General Obregon had asked to urge the immediate withdrawal of the American forces from Mexican territory brought no comment as officials acquainted with the instructions for General Scott.

The pursuit of Villa is still going on according to most recent reports on the American advance basis, and official statements from Columbus today that additional cavalry had started south were taken as possibly meaning that it might be pressed with renewed vigor in the region west and north of Parral, where the last engagements occurred.

Mexican advices generally were Meagre today and reported no important change in conditions in any section.

OBREGON WILL MEET SCOTT AND FUNSTON "HALF WAY"

El Paso, Texas, April 28.—On the eve of the Obregon-Scott-Funston conference tomorrow over the disposition of United States troops in Mexico the feeling grew in El Paso tonight that tentative American occupation of part of Chihuahua, pending eradication of Villa bands by the defacto government, certainly would result from the negotiations. The American representatives who came to El Paso this evening were non-communicative and opinion regarding the outcome of the deliberations was based on the attitude of Carranza officials.

From an authoritative source, it was learned that the Mexican minister of war is willing to meet Generals Funston and Scott "half way" in the coming negotiations. This is taken to mean that General Obregon would consent to American troops remaining in Mexico provided the actual chase of Villa's forces was relinquished entirely to the Carranza troops and that on receipt of assurances from the defacto government that the bandit groups had been wiped out the Americans should retire immediately.

The opinion was general that if the United States troops insisted on a continuance of the new troop movements recently ordered by General Funston and now being carried into effect, the minister of war could not well refuse to grant the proposal as to do so would be to endanger the relations between the American and Mexican governments.

Reports from the American expedition front in Mexico this afternoon were that large forces of Carranza troops were being moved into the Guerrero district. Information from Columbus said a large force of United States infantry has been moved south along the American line of communication and that an American detachment of cavalry have moved westward to Gibson's ranch in order that it might cross into Mexico tomorrow.

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FOUR MILES OF CAVALRY TO CROSS BORDER TODAY

Columbus, N. M., April 28.—A column of cavalry, about four miles long, moved from the base camp this afternoon. It was planned to encamp tonight at Gibson's line ranch, 15 miles west along the border, and cross the frontier early tomorrow. The detachment was the largest to leave Columbus since the original expeditionar y force crossed the border March 15.

GERARD ON WAY TO VISIT THE KAISER

Informs State Department He Does Not Know the Purpose of the Conference

GERMAN EMBASSY HOPEFUL

Berlin Dispatches Described as Indicating Germany Will Attempt to Meet the Demands in American Note.

Washington, April 28.—Ambassador Gerard, at Berlin, in advising the State Department today that he had been invited to confer with Emperor William at army headquarters, said he had not been informed of the purpose of the conference. In fact, Secretary Lansing said, when announcing the receipt of Mr. Gerard's dispatch, no explanation of any kind had accompanied the invitation.

The belief prevails here, however, that the emperor desires to discuss the general submarine situation with Ambassador Gerard and possibly explain in detail his views for the benefit of President Wilson. Diplomats, especially those attached to Teutonic embassies, seemed to regard the conference between the emperor and the ambassador as holding a certain degree of hopefulness.

Only brief consideration was given the submarine issue at today's cabinet meeting—the first held in a week—as information on the subject was very meagre.

In view of the apparant intention of German officials to reach a decision as quickly as possible, the President is disposed not to instruct Ambassador Gerard to press for a reply to the American demand at once. The question will not be allowed to drag alone many more days, however, it was said today.

The attack by a submarine on the British merchantman Industry reported today and the placing of the crew in open boats 120 miles from shore created an unfavorable impression on officials, although there were no Americans on board and therefore the United States is not directly concerned. Germany had admitted that it is only proper to place passengers and crews of attacked vessels in open boats when they are near shore and the weather is good.

Optimism regarding the ultimate outcome of the situation was apparent in German circles following the receipt by the German embassy of dispatches from Berlin, described as in-

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EIGHT GERMAN BOMB PLOTTERS INDICTED

Federal Jury Also Returns Indictment Against Dr. Scheele

They are Charged with Conspiracy to Place Incendiary Bombs on Ships Loaded With Munitions for the Allies.

New York, April 28.—The Federal grand jury returned an indictment today against the eight Germans recently arrested on the charge of engaging in a conspiracy to place incendiary bombs on ships carrying munitions for the Entente Allies, and against Dr. Walter T. Scheele, president of the New Jersey Agricultural Chemical Company, the alleged leader of the conspiracy, who has not yet been arrested.

It was at Scheele's factory that the bombs were partly manufactured, it is alleged.

The indictment was found on testimony given by Captain Charles von Kleist, who was employed in the Scheele factory, and Ernest Becker, an electrician aboard the Hamburg-American line steamship Friedrich Der Grosse, on which also it is alleged bombs were manufactured. Both were indicted, but have been promised immunity, acording to the district attorney.

SAYS BOMB CONTRIVED BY FAY WORKED PERFECTLY

New York, April 28.—The operation of the mechanism of the time bomb alleged to have been invented by Lieut.

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FILIBUSTER OVER BRANDEIS CHARGED

Statement by Senator Ashurst Draws Anger from Some Republican Senators

OVERMAN CHECKS DEBATE

Says Delay in Reaching Vote on Mr. Brandeis' Nomination Was Caused by Democrats—Decision May Soon be Reached.

Washington, April 28.—A stormy debate over the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis for the Supreme Court broke in the Senate late today and before it was over predictions were made by two members of the Judiciary committee, one a Democrat, that an unfavorable report on the appointment would follow when the committee reached a vote.

Discussion was precipitated when Senator Sutherland, of Utah, a Republican member of the committee read to the Senate an interview published yesterday quoting Senator Ashurst, of Arizona, as charging that Republican members of the Judiciary committee were filibustering in order to delay a vote on the Brandeis nomination until after the National political conventions.

Senator Ashurst stood steadfastly by the quoted statement during heated argument which followed until assured by fellow Democrats on the committee that there was no such filibuster. He withdrew the charge at the suggestion of Senator Brandegee, after he had denounced executive sessions and charged that the Republicans were angered over the Brandeis nomination because he was a champion of the masses.

Tonight it generally was believed that the debate would serve to bring the committee to a vote on the nomination within a few days. All the senators who took part in the discussion were members of the committee.

Senator Sutherland took Senator Ashurst to task both for revealing to newspapermen what had taken place yesterday in the Judiciary committee and for saying that the Republican members were filibustering. Mr. Ashurst responded that he had not said anything about what had transpired in the committee room, and added:

"Newspaper men did ask me if I thought the Republican members were filibustering against the confirmation and I said I did. I said it and I would like to see the color of the hair of the man who can imprison my thoughts."

"I am not one of those senators who pretend to deliberate after their minds are made up," continued Senator Ashurst. "I can well imagine the consternation of Republican senators when the nomination of Mr. Brandeis came to this Senate. Had he been a man who spent his life in steering corporations around the law they would have been fighting for his confirmation. But having spent his life in fighting for the poor people of the land casuistry is resorted to."

"Does the senator know," asked Senator Cummins, "that three-fourths of the time spent in consideration of the Brandeis nomination has been consumed by Democratic members of the committee? If there is any filibuster it has been a Democratic filibuster."

Senator Overman, a majority member of the committee, denied that there had been any filibuster and confirmed Senator Cummins' statement that delay had been caused by Democratic senators.

Philadelphia, April 28.—Harry S. Wells, of New York, a professional, won the Wawaset trophy at the Keystone Shooting League tournament today when he smashed 100 targets without a miss.

ONLY AEROPLANES AND ARTILLERY ARE ACTIVE

This Marks Progress of the War on the European Fronts

However, According to Constantinople the British Have Met With Reverses in Both Egypt and Mesopotamia.

Only aerial and artillery activities mark the progress of the war on the European fields, but the British have met with reverses both in Egypt and in Mesopotamia.

In a battle near Quatia, according to reports from Constantinople, a British force of four cavalry squadrons has been annihilated by the Turks, who captured 300 prisoners, besides inflicting heavy losses.

London announces that an attempt to relieve the beleaguered force of General Townshend in Kut El Amara failed when a vessel loaded with supplies grounded in the Tigris river, four miles east of Kut. The affair, the official statement says, was carried out with "the utmost gallantry."

Airmen also have been active in the Asiatic field. Constantinople claims that a British aeroplane squadron raided Quatia after the British defeat and threw bombs on a hospital.

The Turks attacked from an aeroplane an entente allied warship at Elkantara and the docks of Port Said. They also dropped bombs on entente aviation grounds on Imbros Island.

There has been some infantry activity along the front in France held by the British forces, but along the rest of the front the artillery and aerial

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REDMOND DEPLORES 'INSANE' MOVEMENT NOW ON IN DUBLIN

Declares It is an Attempt to Drive Ireland Into Pauperism and Slavery as of Old

SAYS IT IS GERMAN PLOT

And That It is "As Brutal, as Selfish, as Cynical as Germany's Invasion of Belgium"

London, April 28.—John Redmond, leader of the Irish nationalists in the house of commons, tonight gave the Associated Press the following statement concerning the uprising in Dublin:

"My first feeling, of course, on hearing of this insane movement was one of horror, discouragement and almost despair. I asked myself whether Ireland, as so often before in her tragic history, was to dash the cup of liberty from her lips—was the insanity of a small section of her people once against to turn all her marvelous victories of the last few years into irreparable defeat and to send her back on the eve of her final recognition as a free nation, into another long night of slavery, incalculable suffering and weary and uncertain struggling.

Reviews Past Achievements.

"For look at the Irish position today. In the short space of forty years Ireland has by a constitutional movement made an almost unbroken triumphal march from pauperism and slavery to prosperity and freedom. She has won back the possession of Irish land, she has stayed emigration; she had at last begun an era of national prosperity. Finally she has succeeded in placing on the statute books the greatest carter of freedom every offered her since the days of Grattan. Is all this to be lost?

"When war came she made a choice which was inevitable if she was to be true to all the principles which she had held through all her history and which she had just so completely vindicated on her own soil, namely, the rights of small nations, sacred principles of nationality, liberty and democracy.

"Moreover, the Nations for which through all her history she had felt the sympathy that came from common principles and common aspirations were trampled, as she in her time had been trampled under th eiror heel of arrogant force.

"What has Ireland suffered in the past which Poland, Alsace, Belgium and Servia have not suffered at the hands of Germany? And I may add also that a portion of the soil of France, her old friend and ally, which is in the hands of Germany?

Germany the Suppressor.

"What has been the record of Germany, but the suppression of nationality of freedom and of language—in short the suppression of all things for which for centuries Ieland has struggled, the victory of which Ireland has achieved. Take the case of Belgium. Has there not been there the same ruthless shedding of blood of the priests and the people that is part of Ireland's own history. Leave the question of principle oit and consider the question only of the mere interests of Ireland herself. What did the situation demand?

"Neutrality? That was impossible. Hostility to the just cause of the Allies? Is there a sane man in Ireland who does not see this meant in the drowning of Ireland's won liberties in Irish blood? Be this view right or wrong, this was the opinion of an overwhelming majority of the Irish people. It was the opinion which thousands of Irish soldiers have sealed with their blood by dying in the cause of liberty of Ireland and the world.

"But any how it was the opinion of Ireland and surely I need not argue the principle, especially with anybody who has professed himself a home ruler, that the policy of Ireland must be decided by Ireland herself. That is the principle which has been adopted by the Irish race everywhere.

"Millions of our people in the United States and elsewhere whose general devotion helped us so largely to win our victories for the motherland of our race always accepted it. However

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE

Met at noon.

Conferees on army reorganization bill continued at work.

Sharp exchanges on Brandeis nomination resulted from charge by Senator Ashhurst that Republicans were filibustering against confirmation.

Adjourned at 5:51 p. m. to noon Saturday.

HOUSE

Met at 11 a. m.

Discussed agricultural appropriation bill, including a "rider" embodying the bills for grain grading, Federal warehouses for agricultural products and new cotton futures law.

Adopted conference report on bill passed by both houses to double the number of cadets at West Point.

Passed Senate bill limiting railway employees' hours of labor.

Lever cotton futures bill was voted into annual agricultural bill as an amendment.

Adjourned at 5:30 to 11 a. m. Saturday.

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PASSES WERE ALSO ISSUED TO JUDGES

L. & N. and N., C. & St. L. Railroads Charged With Attempting to Influence Courts

LETTERS ARE MADE PUBLIC

Show That Free Transportation for Witnesses and Jurors Was Also Requested—Over 22,800 Passes Were Issued in 1913.

Nashville, Tenn., April 28.—Records compiled by examiners of the Inter-State Commerce Commission and read into the records of the hearing here today of the charges against the Louisville & Nashville and the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroads showed that more than 22,800 free passes were issued by these lines in 1913. These represented a mileage of approximately 7,728,600 with a cash valuation figured at $226,224. The majority of these passes, according to the testimony of Will H. Carlton, examiner for the commission, were issued to and on the request of legislators in Kentucky and Tennessee.

Mr. Carlton also showed copies of letters illustrative of the requests for passes for judges of courts, witnesses, jurors and newspapers.

Questioned by Counsellor Folk, for the Commission, Carlton testified that he had found letters in the files of the railroads indicating that passes were being requested to influence judges of courts, witnesses, jurors and others. Copies of sample letters were read into the records, giving the names of the writers and the parties for whom the free transportation was requested.

Judge Had Shown "Favors."

One letter asking passes for the wife and daughter of a city judge in a Kentucky town stated that the judge "had decided practically every case in our favor that has come before him and there have been a great deal of small ones," and that "I think perhaps I will be in position by getting this favor for [illegible] get a better class of jurors."

Another writer asking a pass for a newly-elected judge said he was "satisfied Mr.—— will do the right thing by us, and will always be fair and square with us."

Judge Henry L. Stone, chief counsel for the Louisville & Nashville road, who took charge of the cross-examination of Mr. Carlton, brought out the statement that of the total of free transportation issued in 1913, 2,631 passes went to newspapers and more than 1,100 to attorneys listed as "company attorneys."

Passes for Luke Lea's Paper.

It was shown that the Tennesseean and American, the local newspaper owned by Senator Luke Lea, author of the charges against the railroads on which the present investigation is based, secured 265 free passes in 1913 from the two roads, seven of which were annual or card passes. Senator Lea, who was present, smiled broadly as the figures were read.

Replying to questions by Mr. Stone the witness stated that no investigation had been made of the pass system of other lines in Tennessee and admitted that the use of passes for a large part of the mileage given had not been actually established.

Mr. Carlton occupied the stand the greater part of the day and followed Harry Williamson and John W. McKinney, members of the Tennessee legislature, who testified to distribution of free passes by legislators to their constituents. More than 40 men were employed for three to six months in the examination of the pass records of the two roads involved, according to Mr. Carlton.

COTTON FUTURES BILL ADDED AS AMENDMENT

House Adopts It as Part of the Agricultural Measure

Under Its Provisions a Tax of Two Cents a Pound Would Be Levied on Cotton Sold as Futures by Any Exchange.

Washington, April 28.—The House today, sitting as a committee of the whole, adopted the Lever cotton futures bill as an amendment to the annual agricultural measure, after a spirited debate. The vote was 101 to 78. The Lever bill is identical with the former cotton futures law which was held unconstitutional by Federal Judge Hough, of New York, on the ground that it was a revenue bill which had improperly originated in the Senate instead of in the House.

Under the provisions of the measure a tax of two cents a pound would be levied on all cotton sold for future delivery in any exchange, board of trade or "similar institutions or places of business."

Adoption of this measure came after the House had passed, by a vote of 184 to 86 a special rule providing for consideration of the cotton futures grain trading and Federal warehouse for agricultural products amendments

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BUSINESS PLACES IN DUBLIN CLOSED

Rebellion of Sinn Fein Society and Larkin Followers Completely Dislocates Life

DETAILS OF THE TROUBLE

Revolutionists Assembled Monday as if for Easter Parade When They Sprang Surprise by Seizing Postoffice Building.

Dublin, April 25, via London, April 28.—Dublin now has been held up for 24 hours by a combination of members of the Sinn Fein Society and followers of James Larkin, head of the Transport Workers' Union, and well known as a strike leader.

There has been the same violence in the city as marked the big street car strike in 1913, which was headed by Larkin, but supplemented by the use of an armed force with military pretensions and the seizure of strategic points designed to give the disturbance the aspect of a revolution.

The lord lieutenant of Ireland, in a proclamation today, cals the movement it is due to foreign prompting. It is, he says, "small." He adds that 'stern measures are being taken to suppress it."

The revolution thus far is considered an imitation, though on a much extended scale of "Fort Chabrol" in Paris, which was held by political rioters some 15 years ago and the riots in Sydney street in London. While it is declared not to have the support of the people generally the situation certainly is very serious and far beyond the dimensions of a riot.

Dublin Life Dislocated.

The trouble has gone on now for twenty-four hours and has completely dislocated the life of Dublin. No shops are open and no business is being transacted. Street cars have ceased to run and the gas supply has been cut off. Use of the telephones between the city an dthe suburbs has been forbidden by the military and the running of trains to and from the country is very irregular.

Yesterday (Monday) at midday the Sinn Fein revolutionists were assembled as if for one of their usual parades. They were supposed to be going out for an Easter Monday march. Some of the rank and file even imagined that this was their purpose. About 600 of them, however, took possession of the general postoffice in Sackville street, where they still hold forth.

Telegraph and postal communication insofar as it goes through this, the chief optsoffice in Ireland, has ceased.

The raid was beyond the power of the police to deal with. Smal detachments of lancers appeared on the scene, but after two of three of their horses had been shot and two or three of the men wounded they withdrew. Since then the Sinn Feiners in the postoffice have been left alone and have hoisted the flag of the Irish republic over the building.

Various corners in Sackville street have been occupied by the Sinn Feiners and barricades of barbed wire erected in the thoroughfare. In this street there has been a great deal of looting of shops and smashing of windows.

In St. Stephens Greens a detachment of the Sinn Feiners entered the Green, which is surrounded by a high railing, and locked themselves in and began digging trenches. The authorities considered that this move as a last stand might be intelligible but at an outset of the disturbance they could not guess its purpose.

Countess Among Rebels.

The Countess Markievicz, the sister of an Irish baron, in a volunteer uni-

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CHAPMAN-ALEXANDER PARTY IN GOLDSBORO

Biggest Audience Ever Gathered There Electrified

Baraca-Philathea State Convention Thrilled and Moved by Addresses and Music of a Memorable Hour Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., April 28.—An hour of spiritual regeneration, of broadening spiritual vision, of outpouring of God's grace, was the hour given over this afternoon in the Baraca-Philathea State convention to Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman, D. D., the world-famed evangelist, and his co-workers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Alexander, Mr. Albert Brown and Mr. Henry Barraclough.

The congregation that greeted them was the largest that was ever seen in this city and was truly electrifying in its responsive spirit to the "Season of Grace" that was so spontaneously recognized by every soul present.

The subject of his talk to the great State audience that greefed him and hung upon his words was the Bible—and to tel what he said and how he said it would be like essaying to "gild refined gold or paint the lily."

The whole service of the hour, the singing of Mr. Alexander and of Mrs. Alexander and Mr. Brown, the sweetly persuading talk of Mrs. Alexander on the Focket Testament League and the discourse of Dr. Chapman will surely "prove a spiritual leaven long

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MANY RESPOND TO APPEAL MADE BY THE EVANGELISTS

Men and Women of Every Age Indicate Decision to Follow the Christian Life

AT TABERNACLE SERVICE

One of Most Inspiring Meetings of Chapman-Alexander Campaign That Last Night

One of the most interesting services so far in the great Chapman-Alexander revival campaign was held last night in the Tabernacle when Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman preached another of his great sermons in which he expressed in no uncertain words his belief in a personal devil. The appeal of the evangelist met with a wonderful response and men of influence came forward to take the hand of the evangelist as evidence of their intention to live Christian lives.

The first to come forward at the close of the forceful sermon was a bright-eyed young woman, the next was a middle aged man, then came two children and following were scores of men, women and children of every age and condition, including those of high position and those who are not so prominent in the affairs of the world.

The single delegation attending the service last evening was the Wilmington Rotary Club in which were 25 live and enthusiastic young business men of the city. They marched up the aisle at the close of the sermon, two abreast, and took the evangelist by the hand as evidence of their interest in the meeting and as a pledge for Christian service.

Firemen to Carry Testaments.

From all parts of the audience came hearty amens when the evangelist announced that every fireman and practically all the policemen of the city, including Fire Chief Schnibben and Chief of Police Williams had signed up as members of the Pocket Testament League as a result of the work of Mr. W. W. Rock, a member of the evangelistic party. Dr. Chapman also announced that four firemen had made definite decisions for Christ. Mr. Rock met the policemen at the city hall last evening and while a few were absent, those present gladly accepted the opportunity to join in this world-wide movement.

Choir is Enlarged.

Mr. Charles M. Alexander had his mammoth choir augmented last night with a large number of school girls, whose voices sang with much sweetness and melody some of the familiar selections that the song leader uses with such great success. Pausing in the midst of the singing, Mr. Alexander easily secured a dozen or more song books from members of the audience, who purchased them, and distributed them among the girls and then at the request of Mr. C. C. Covington they sang "Shine," the chorus that has gripped the hearts of so many Wilmingtonians.

Mr. Brown, the soloist, sang with wonderful effect a song, "But I Know." This hymn of faith made a profound impression upon the big audience and Dr. Chapman requested that all who could voice the sentiments expressed with such tenderness by the soloist to signify it by applauding. There was a loud clapping of hands from all parts of the Tabernacle.

Dr. Chapman took his text from Zechariah 3:1, "Satan standing at his right hand to resist him." His sermon was another searching and eloquent plea that men would turn from sin and give themselves to Christ.

Services Tomorrow.

There will be no services at the Tabernacle today, but tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock Dr. Chapman and Mr. Alexander will conduct a special service at the Tabernacle for men. "What's the Matter With Wilmington?" will be the subject of the sermon by the evangelist. Tomorrow night there will be a service at the Tabernacle for everybody.

A service for the women of the city will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Chapman at the First Baptist church. It is hoped that as many women of the city as can do so will attend this service.

Services for children by Rev. C. T. Schaeffer will be conducted by him as follows: For boys from 13 to 17 years of age at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium at 4 o'clock; for girls from 12 to 18 at Grace Methodist church at 3:30, and for children under 12 years of age in the Sunday school room of the First Baptist church at 3:30. Mayor P. Q. Moore will preside at the boys' meeting; Miss Anna Troutt at the meeting for girls, and the younger children's meeting will be in charge of Misses Pickett and King. Every young person in the city and county of the ages mentioned are expected to be present at these services. Mr. Schaeffer has a wonderful faculty of entertaining children. He is winning their hearts and giving them some valuable lessons.

Pleads for Revival.

Dr. Chapman and Mr. Alexander went to Goldsboro yesterday to conduct a service at the State Baraca and Philathea convention. Speaking of the trip, Dr. Chapman said last night in his sermon that he had received many in-

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STATE CONVENTION SURPRISED WARREN

More Than a Thousand Delegates in Attendance and Not a Note of Discord is Heard

SOLIDLY BEHIND WILSON

Not the Least Trace of Any Opposition to Administration's Policies in Evidence — Simmons Speech Great Campaign Document.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Raleigh, N. C., April 28.—Democratic State Chairman Thomas D. Warren says the State convention yesterday was a most gratifying surprise to himself an dparty leaders generally, especially in the very large attendance, in the absence of any contests or other conditions to bring out crowds beyond that of manifesting personal interest in the welfare of the party and the well being of the country. There were more than one thousand delegates, he says, and there was not the least note of discord anywhere to be heard.

The State Chairman is confident that the Democratic majority next November will be over the 50,000 mark and that every congressional district will be carried, including the redemption of the Tenth. Indeed, he points out that other State officers carried the Tenth district two years ago when Mr. Britt, Republican, was elected, and that it was really the Gudger-Reynolds fight within the Democratic party that lost to the district its Democratic representation in Congress.

Chairman Warren considers Senator Simmons' address about the finest campaign document that will be produced this campaign both as to the State and the National issues, and he believes it absolutely unanswerable. He was also especially struck with the speech of Governor Craig as a factor in the impending campaign, which he is carrying on for the present from his Newbern office. The Raleigh headquarters are to be opened around August 1.

The universal popularity of President Wilson and his policies, including preparedness, merchant marine and the financial and tariff legislation, passed and proposed, were, Mr. Warren says, especially noticeable among the delegates. Indeed, there was not the least trace of any opposition whatever in spite of any hesitency there has been with some of the North Carolina delegation in Congress to fully support these policies. The mention of Wilson and his policies never failed to bring to highest pitch the enthusiasm of the convention, said Mr. Warren. On the other hand the slightest denunciation of Marion Butler and his Republican connivances stirred manifestations of Democratic determination to strenuously fight both. The danger that Butler and Republicanism create of the State being re-burdened with the millions of repudiated Reconstruction bonds and overthrowing the franchise amendment are to be the big sticks Democracy will wield in the State campaign.

District Delegates

The following district delegates to the National convention were elected:

First district, Col. W. G. Lamb, of Martin; A. T. Baker, of Chowan; F. J. James, of Pitt; E. F. Aydlett, of Pasquotank. Second district, W. O. Howard, of Edgecombe; H. G. Connor, Jr., of Wilson; alternates, J. A. Albritton; Thomas Gilliam, of Bertie. Third district, L. I. Moore, B. O. Johnson, J. T. Bland and J. A. Tingle. Fourth district, Edward E. Britton, of Wake; Edward W. Pou, of Johnston; A. J. Harris, of Franklin; E. R. Pace, of Wake. Fifth district, William F. Brown, of Forsyth; E. S. Parker, of Alamance; alternates, E. D. Broadhurst, of Guilford; Julius Johnston, of Caswell; Sixth district, F. H. Stedman, O. L. Clark, T. A. Lyon, G. B. Patterson, J. A. Jones, of Scotland; J. W. Lambeth, of Davidson; D. M. Reese, of Yadkin; Mitch Vannoy, of Wilkes. Eighth district, J. S. Henderson, of Rowan; R. L. Smith, of Stanly; alternates, Walter Murphy, of Rowan; C. P. Matthewson, of Alexander. Ninth district, John A. Parker, of Mecklenburg; Charles B. Armstrong, of Gaston; Guy V. Roberts, W. C. Erwin, of Burke. Tenth district, Walter E. Moore, of Jackson; J. F. Alexander, of Rutherford; alternates C. P. Rogers, of Henderson; S. W. Black, of Swain.

The electors, vice presidents, members of the platform commitee and members of the State Excutive Committee were named at the convention as follows:

Presidential Electors.

First district, H. C. Carter, of Beaufort; second district, G. V. Cowper, of Lenoir; Third district, D. E. Henderson; Fourth district, T. T. Thorne, of Nash; Fifth district, Thomas J. Gold, of Guilford; Sixth district, Bayard Clark; Seventh district, B. Clegg Ashcraft, of Union; Eighth district, Mark Squires; Ninth district, W. M. Wilson, of Mecklenburg; Tenth district, Felix E. Alley, of Haywood; Major Baxter Durham, of Wake, was made alternate elector from the Fourth district.

Vice-Presidents.

First district, E. F. Aydlett, of Pasquotank; Second district, W. H. Joyner, of Northampton; Third district, Dr. R. L. Carr, of Duplin; Fourth district, A. C. Zollicoffer, of Vance; Fifth district, L. M. Carlton, of Person, Sixth district, J. D. Bellamy, of New Hanover; Seventh district, A. A. F. Seawell, of Lee; Eighth district, Edmund Jones, of Caldwell; Ninth district, W. C. Feimster, of Catawba; Tenth district, Gallatin Roberts, of Buncombe.

Platform Committee.

First district, Col. F. G. James; Second district, E. L. Travis, of Halifax; Third district, Col. J. D. Langston, of Wayne; Fourth district, Walter D. Siler, of Chatham; Fifth district, Victor Bryant, of Durham; Sixth District, J. O. Carr, of New Hanover Seventh district, Walter L. Parsons, of Richmond; Eighth district, R. A. Doughton, of Alleghany; Ninth district, Cameron Morrison, of Mecklenburg; Tenth district, Clyde H. Ray, of Haywood.

Executive Committee.

The executive committee is as follows:

First district, E. A. Daniels, of Beaufort; Lem W. Tucker, of Pitt; Col. W. G. Lamb, of Martin; A. Pilson Godwin, of Gates; Charles Whedbee, of Perquimans.

Second district, W. A. Finch, of Wilson; M. B. Gilliam, of Bertie; L. V. Bassett, of Edgecombe, J. C.

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SPORTS

Baseball Boating Yachting Angling — *Motoring Aeronautics Tennis Golf, Etc.*

ELEVEN INNING GAME WON BY THE RED SOX

White Sox Lose to the Indians in Pitchers' Battle

With Score Tied in the Ninth, Burns Doubles and Brings in Winning Run For Tigers—Senators Defeat the Athletics.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Washington 7; Philadelphia 6.
At Cleveland 2; Chicago 1.
At St. Louis 5; Detroit 6.
At New York 2; Boston 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Chicago at St. Louis.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Boston at Washington.
New York at Philadelphia.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	9	5	.643
Detroit	8	5	.615
New York	6	5	.545
Cleveland	7	6	.538
Washington	7	6	.538
Chicago	7	9	.438
St. Louis	5	7	.417
Philadelphia	3	9	.250

St. Louis, April 28.—With the score tied in the ninth, Burns doubled to left, scoring Heilman and Detroit beat St. Louis 6 to 5. St. Louis forged ahead in the sixth when Marsans was hit by a pitched ball, and Pratt and Johnson doubled. Detroit tied the score in the eighth when DuBuc, batting for Boland, drove in two runs with a single. Cobb returned to the game today and got a double and a single. His double scored Kavanaugh in the seventh.

Detroit .....200 000 121—6 11 2
St. Louis .....000 112 100—5 9 2

Coveleskie, Boland, Dauss and Stanage, Baker; Davenport and Hartley.

New York, April 28.—Boston made it two out of three from New York here today, winning the second 11-inning game of the series, 3 to 2.

With New York leading 2 to 0 in the ninth, Lewis tied the score with a home run, which followed Hoblitzell's base on balls. In the eleventh Hooper walker, took third on Hoblitzell's double and score the winning run on Lewis' infield out.

Boston .....000 000 002 01—3 7 1
New York ....001 010 000 00—2 12 0

Leonard, Cregg and Carrigan; Keating and Nunemaker.

Cleveland, April 28.—Cleveland won 2 to 1 from Chicago today in a ten inning pitchers' battle between Morton and Williams. Each allowed five hits, neither gave a pass, but Morton hit a man who scored.

With two out in fifth Wambsganns doubled and score on Weaver's high throw of O'Neill's grounder. Chicago tied the count in the sixth when Williams was hit and scored on singles by Murphy and McMullin. Howard singled in the tenth, raced to third on Wambsbann's sacrifice and scored when Fournier threw wide to third.

Chicago .....000 001 000 0—1 5 3
Cleveland .....000 010 000 1—2 5 1

Williams and Schalk; Morton and O'Neill.

Washington, April 28.—Washington won from Philadelphia 7 to 6 in the ninth inning today, netting four runs fro man infield out, an error and two singles off Crowell, who was sent in after Nabors had hit the first batsman and passed the next two. The Athletics scored all their runs in the fifth on two passes, an error, three singles and two doubles. Gallia stopped the onslaught after Dumont and Boehling had been driven from the box.

Philadelphia ....000 060 000—6 9 5
Washington ....000 120 004—7 6 2

Nabors, Crowell and Meyer; Dumont, Boehling, Gallia and Henry.

ELON WINS FROM GUILFORD IN SEASON'S PRETTIEST GAME

(Special Star Telegram).

Elon College, N. C., April 28.—In the prettiest game of the season, Elon won from Guilford here today 3 to 1. Beard, Elon's big freshman twirler, occupied the mound, allowing but four singles and fanning eleven. Finch, for Guilford, pitched great ball, allowing but six hits, but one was a homer by Harwood, and others were bunched. Duncan, for Elon, got three hits out of four times up.

Guilford .....000 000 010—1 4 3
Elon .....102 000 00*—3 6 1

Finch and Futrell; Noard and Purcell. Umpire, Newman.

LUMBERTON DEFEATED BY FAYETTEVILLE TEN TO ONE

Fayetteville, N. C., April 28.—Fayetteville defeated Lumberton 10 to 1 at baseball here yesterday afternoon, hitting Britt for seven singles, three doubles and one triple, while Fisher shut out the visitors until the eighth. Fisher allowed only two hits, one of which was due to slow outfielding, and struck out 13 batsmen. Watson, who hit a long drive over center field for three bases, Morgan, Fisher and Person, of the local team led the hitting.

Lumberton .....000 000 010— 1 2 6
Fayetteville .....042 210 10*—10 11 3

Britt and Pope; Fisher and Person. Umpires, Cooper and McNeill.

CLARKTON DEFEATED IN GAME WITH THE WHITEVILLE TEAM

Whiteville, N. C., April 28.—Whiteville defeated Clarkton yesterday in the prettiest game of the season here, the score being tied in the fourth inning and remaining so till the last half of the ninth, when Cashwell's two-base hit scored Schulken. Batting by Lumsden, Schulken, Smith and Cashwell were the features of the game for Whiteville. O. L. Clark, Jr., for Clarkton, starred in a three-base hit, scoring three men. The final score was 6 to 5.

Schulken and Cashwell; Phifer and Owen.

Trip to Sea.

Steamer Wilmington leaves 10 o'clock Sunday. Fare round trip 50c.
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Trinity Comes Back And Beats Clemson

METHODISTS END A LONG STRING OF DEFEATS, PLAYING A BETTER GAME THAN IN MANY DAYS—SCORE 5 TO 4.

(Special Star Telegram).

Durham, N. C., April 28.—Trinity defeated Clemson here today in a fast game 5 to 4. The Trinity team played a better game in every respect than it has played for many days, and broke a long string of defeats.

Features for Clemson were two fast double plays by Jordan and Major and by McMillan, Major and James, the hitting and fielding of Anderson, who hit a triple and a single and pulled down four hard chances, and the pitching of Richards, the pitching and hitting of Bill Powell, who allowed nine hits but was tight in the pinch and got two singles out of three times at bat. Langley got a double and a single out of three times up, and Love a double and single out of four trips to the plate. Durham, Langley and Beal pulled a fast double play in the fifth, and Langley and Beal nabbed two runners on one play in the sixth.

Trinity .....002 300 000—5 8 3
Clemson .....020 000 200—4 10 1

Mason, Powell and Love; Chapman, Richards and Harris.

MINOR LEAGUES.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAG
At Jacksonville 6, Columbia 3.
At Augusta 3, Charleston 7.
At Macon 1, Montgomery 5.
At Albany 1, Columbus 6.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
At Richmond 6, Buffalo 4.
At Newark 4, Toronto 3, (11 innings).
At Baltimore 5, Montreal 7.
At Providence-Rochester, snow.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
At Birmingham 9, Atlanta 2.
No other games scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
At Toledo 3, Minneapolis 4.
At Indianapolis 4, Milwaukee 3.
At Columbus 2, St. Phaul 0.
At Louisville 3, Kansas City 1.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE
At Newport News, Petersburg 2.
At Portsmouth 6, Norfolk 5.
At Roanoke 5, Greensboro 3.

CAROLINA LEAGUE
At Winston-Salem 4, Charlotte 3.
At Salisbury 4, Greensboro 3.
At Asheville 4, Charlotte 3, (11 innings).

COLLEGE BASEBALL

At Lexington, Va.: University of South Carolina 2; Washington and Lee 11.

At Nashville, Tenn.: Vanderbilt 4; Geeorgia Techs 3.

At Elon College, N. C.: Guilford College 1; Elon College 3.

At Spartanburg, S. C.: Erksine College 4; Wofford College 8.

At Charlotteville, Va.: University of Virginia 16; University of Georgia 7.

At Washington: Georgetown 4; University of West Virginia 0.

At Washington: Ursinus 7; Gallaudet 6. (13 innings).

At Durham, N. C.: Clemson 4; Trinity College 5.

At Knoxville, Tenn.: University of Tennessee 8, Kentucky State 4.

At Newark, Del.: North Carolina A. M. 7, Deleware College 0.

QUALIFYING ROUNDS WILL BEGIN THIS AFTERNOON

For Annual Spring Golf Championship of Cape Fear Country Club.

The indications are that the annual spring golf championship of the Cape Fear Country Club, the qualifying rounds for which begin this afternoon and continue for one week, will break all previous records for an event of this kind. There will be five flights for gentlemen and three flights for the ladies which will insure that all players, regardless of ability, will find themselves competing with members of own rank.

With so many flights all players will find it agreeable and pleasant to participate as they will find themselves competing with those of similar experience. All entries for sweepstakes must be in by today at noon and all those desiring to enter should submit their names to the captain of the greens. Entries for qualifying rounds will not terminate until Saturday May 6.

On account of the extreme dryness, players qualifying will be allowed to smooth the putting greens with the head of club. This notice is given in order that all players may avail themselves of this privilege.

It will be of interest to golfers as well as to many friends to know that the gross score of 93 made by Mr. W. G. Robertson and Mrs. A. B. Skelding in the mixed foursome on Thursday afternoon stands as the record for an event of this kind, such a good score never having before been made on this course at a mixed foursome tournament.

Philadelphia, April 28.—Howard Berry, all-round athlete of the University of Pennsylvania, today won the penthalon, one of the feature events of the 22nd annual relay race carnival held on Franklin Field. The Pennsylvanian, who also won the event last year, was first in all five events making up the penthalon—broad jump javelin throw, 200 metre race, discus throw and 1,500 metre race.

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Chicago Ties Philadelphia for First Place in National

Pirates, Getting Eleven Hits, Win From the Reds, Who Get But Six—Dodgers Beat Phillies in Game of Hard Hitting.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Philadelphia 3, Brooklyn 5.
At Pittsburgh 5, Cincinnati 1.
At Chicago 7, St. Louis 0.
At Boston-New York, snow.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
St. Louis at Chicago.
Brooklyn at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	6	3	.667
Chicago	8	4	.667
Boston	5	3	.625
Brooklyn	4	3	.571
St. Louis	6	7	.462
Cincinnati	6	7	.462
Pittsburg	5	7	.417
New York	1	7	.125

Pittsburg, April 28.—Pittsburg won from Cincinnati 5 to 1 here today Harmon holding the visitors to six hits, the local team getting eleven. Three singles and a pass gave the Pirates two runs in the first inning and two bases on balls and two hits resulted in two more in the third. Barney's single after Baird had made a hit and stole second and third gave the winners another run in the fourth. Right fielder Hinchman made a double play unassisted when he caught Groh's liner and tagged Chase off first.

Cincinnati ... . .100 000 000—1 6 0
Pittsburg ... ... .202 100 00*—5 11 0

Schneider, Dale and Wingo; Harmon and Schmidt.

Chicago, April 28.—Claude Hendrix held St. Louis to two hits today and Chicago pounded its way into a tie for first place in the National League through a 7 to 0 victory, the Cubs' seventh straight. Only one visitor reached third base and in each of seven innings only three men faced Hendrix, retiring seven, fanning the side in the fifth.

St. Louis . . . .000 000 000—0 2 0
Chicago . . . .100 204 00*—7 13 1

Griner and Snyder; Hendrix and Killefer.

Philadelphia, April 28.—Coombs and Pfeffer, formerly star pitchers of the Philadelphia Americans, opposed each other in a championship game for the first time here today. Brooklyn won 5 to 3. Both veterans were hit hard, Pfeffer for ten safeties in seven innings and Coombs for nine in six innings.

Brooklyn . . . .101 120 000—5 10 0
Philadelphia . . .000 201 000—3 13 4

Coombs, Pfeffer, and Miller, McCarty; Bender, Mayer and Burns.

FAIRMONT DEFEATS FAIR BLUFF 7 TO 0 ON LATTER'S DIAMOND

Fair Bluff, N. C., April 28.—Fairmont defeated Fair Blur here this afternoon 7 to 0. The game was hard fought throughout. In the second inning Fair Bluff filled the bases with none out, but Floyd for Fairmont tightened up and fanned three men. In the ninth a rally was started with two singles but no runs resulted.

Fairmont ... . 021 301 000—7 11
Fair Bluff . . . . 000 000 000—0 6

VIRGINIA BEATS GEORGIA IN POORLY PITCHED GAME

Charlottesville, Va., April 28.—Twenty bases on balls were issued by the four pitchers in today's game between the University of Virginia and the University of Georgia, which Virginia won, 16 to 7. Darkness stopped the contest in the eighth inning.

Virginia 16 12 4
Georgia 7 6 1

Hager, Rixey and White; Fox, McWhorter and Rawson.

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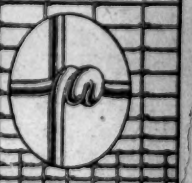

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"WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH WILMINGTON?"

Dr. Chapman's Subject at Meeting for Men Only at Tabernacle Sunday 3 P. M.

MANY RESPOND TO APPEAL MADE BY THE EVANGELIST

(Continued from Page One)

quiries from the delegates from Charlotte and Asheville as to the meetings in Wilmington. He was in somewhat of a quandary, he declared, as to what to tell them and rather evaded a direct answer.

"However, I do not hesitate to say that the meeting in Wilmington is far and away beyond the meetings we held in Charlotte and Asheville at the same stage of the campaign," said the evangelist, who then made a plea for a genuine old fashioned revival of religion in this city.

Launching into an appeal, the evangelist requested that those in the building who had friends for whom they were concerned to stand up. A hundred or more men and women rose to their feet while in response to the request for those who wanted to be prayed for, there were scores of hands that went up.

Coming down on the train from Goldsboro, Dr. Chapman received a request from the conductor to pray for his mother, who is very ill. Dr. Chapman made a special prayer for her and also for the wife, who had sent a request for the prayers of Christian people for her husband, stating that she had been praying for him for 40 years. The evangelist also prayed for the wandering boy of a sorrowing mother and included in his petitions the score or more requests from others.

Dr. Chapman's Sermon.

Dr. Chapman's sermon last night was on the subject "Is there a Personal Devil?" In part it follows:

"Satan standing at His right hand to resist Him.—Zechariah 3:1.

"This is a vision of Zechariah, the prophet, and in addition to its prophetic significance it presents to us the picture of the awakened sinner, standing before God, and also gives us the vision of another standing at His right hand to hinder any blessing which might come from God to the sinner, and the one thus standing is Satan. There never has been an awakened sinner, from that day to this nor has there been a genuine conversion that this picture was not repeated. The devil is always doing just this sort of thing. Before conversion he exerts his influence to keep the sinner secure at least in thought and he cries peace, peace, but there is no peace. He binds him wtih silken cords to some particular sin or to some companion and he is no less a prisoner because the cords are silken and not chains. He lets him hear the gospel and even encourages him to listen to it with approval, but he tells him to wait before he reaches his decision, that he had better not be swept with excitement, and that he would better not do what in future days he might regret; that if he should take a stand he would not hold out, and that if he takes the step he will not be sure he is in the right. Such suggestions as these he constantly makes, and because he makes them they stand irresolutely and drift farther and farther away from God.

A Conference in Hell.

"There is an old legend which says that once upon a time a conference was called in hell, at which the devil presided. He is about to send his agents to and fro throughout the earth, and is asking them what will be their message. One said, 'I will tell the people that the Bible is not true and Satan declined to send him on his mission because the Bible is its strong proof, and every transformed life as well as every saved sinner is an unanswerable argument for the Book. Another said, 'I will tell the people that Christ is not divine,' but Satan said, 'What folly! His prophecies telling His coming, their exact fulfillment, His gracious life, His wonderful preaching, His divine power, His indescribable death, the multitudes He has blessed, all these prove His deity,' and the messenger did not go upon his errand. And the third said 'I will tell the people to do their best and leave the rest to God, he is always merciful,' but Satan said, 'How useless, for every man will know that his best does not satisfy his own best judgment, and all to whom you speak will know that their best is so faulty that it could never stand in the presence of a just God,' and he, too, was set aside. Finally one said 'I shall go and tell the people that the Bible is true, that Christ is divine, and that the one way to be saved is by means of the acceptance of the crucified and risen Lord as their Saviour but I will tell them to wait and think the matter over and to look forward to a more convenient season,' and it said that Satan sent him upon the mission, which he has been fulfilling ever since. This is but a legend, but I am quite sure that every man to whom I speak will say it is a perfect picture of his dealings with men, and the trouble with the most of us is that we are waiting until tomorrow to make our decision, and all the time we are growing weaker.

"Tomorrow he promised his conscience,
tomorrow I mean to believe,
Tomorrow I will think as I ought to,
tomorrow my Saviour receive;
Tomorrow I wil conquer the habits
that hold me from heaven away,
But ever his conscience repeated one
word and only one—'Today.'
Tomorrow, tomorrow, tomorrow, thus
day after day it went on,
Tomorrow, tomorrow, tomorrow, until
youth like a vision was gone;
Until age and his passions have written the message of fate on his
brow,
And forth from the shadows came
death with the pitiless syllable
—'Now!'

His Personality.

"No one can appreciate the personality of Satain until he studies carefully the general subject of angels, for he is a fallen angel.

"For by Him were all things created, that are in Heaven, that are in earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones or dominions, or principalities, or powers; all things were created by Him and for Him.'—Colossians 1:16.

"He began his career in sin almost immediately.

"He that committeth sin is of the devil; for the devil sinneth from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested that He might destroy the works of the devil.'—First John 3:8.

"Angels have a peculiar nature which Jesus did not assume.

"'For verily He took not to Him the nature of angels; but He took on Him the seed of Abraham.'—Hebrews 2:16.

"Angels minister in various ways.

"'But the angels of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth, and said.'—Acts 5:19.

"'And it came to pass, that the beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom; the rich man also died, and was buried.'—Luke 16:22.

"They were originally holy because God made them so, and they fel.

"'To whom coming, as unto a living stone disallowed indeed to men, but chosen of God, and precious.'"—I Peter 2:4.

"Satan is evidently their leader.

"'Then shall he say unto them on the left hand, depart from me, ye cursed, into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels.' Matthew 25:41.

"Wicked men are led captive by his power.

"'And that they may recover themselves out of the snare of the devil, who are taken captive by him at his will.'—2 Timothy 2:26.

"That is why it is so difficult to break away from him. He is called the adversary, the accuser, the destroyer, and he is all that his name would indicate. Think for a moment about his work. He has left his mark upon all the pages of the Bible, upon all works of art, upon books of history, upon desolate homes, upon wrecked and ruined character, upon lost souls. No language can depict the awfulness of his influence, and no word of mine can successfully portray the danger in which men stand if they in any way yield to him. The scriptures contain scarcely more proof of a personal God than of a personal devil. He speaks, he goes, he comes, he reasons, he hates, he is judged, and at last he is punished.

"His doom is described in the twentieth chapter of the Revelation, and one day he will be overthrown.

"'And I saw an angel come down from heaven, having the key of the bottomless pit and a great chain in his hand and he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent, which is the devil, and Satan, and bound him a thousand, years.' Revelation 20:1-2.

"And although the fight against him is a sharp one, let it be known for our encouragement that we are fighting an enemy with a deadly wound.

His Work.

"He deals personally and directly with the man who is a Christian, and all our temptations and our disposition to doubt is directly traceable to him.

"1. He brings up our past sins which God has forgotten. I once invited a gentleman in an eastern city to be an officer in my church. He took the matter under consideration, and then said: 'I can not do it, because in my boyhood days, I committed a sin and that sin keeps constantly coming up before me. I have made reparation to the friend whom I have injured and have been forgiven but I simply cannot face that sin in public life.' This is the influence of the devil. He is constantly telling you that your past sins are coming up against you, and you are afraid, and no blacker lie ever breathed to a human soul than his for our sins in God's good grace have been put away and forgotten forever.

"2. He accuses the Christian of insincerity; he tells him that he has not been truly converted. He makes him believe that other people think him insincere until the Christian tremblingly hesitates to do anything for Christ.

"3. He persuades him that it is not possible to have assurance of salvation, so one day he thinks he is saved and the next day feels sure that he is not, and when assurance goes power will go with it.

"4. He tells him that other people may have power, but that it is not for him, and so he goes forward seriously hindered and handicapped. There is only one way to escape from this and that is to wield the sword of spirit and thrust him through with it.

"He deals also with blighting and blasting power with man who is not a Christian, and it is because he does so that my work is so extremely difficult. I am contending not against you, but your adversary. I am struggling, not so much with your will, as with his. And while I am speaking I believe that the power of the spirit of God is in the ascendancy and if you will but yield to him instead of the evil spirit you would be saved.

"1. Satan says that you are not good enough to be a Christian, that you must wait until you are better when Jesus said, 'I come not to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.'

"2. He tells you that you have committed too man ysins, and he call them up and they go trooping pas you, sins of omission and commission secret sins, public sins, sins you had forgotten, and he makes you believe that because of these your case is hopeless, when God says, 'Though your sins be as scarlet they will be as white as snow.'

"3. He tells you that you have put the matter off too long, that you have sinned away your day of grace, that you have committed the unpardonable sin, when God says, 'Now is the accepted time.'

"4. He binds with chains and against your will he drives you to evil. It is he who makes the drunkard out of the kind-hearted man and the libertine out of the man of affection.

A Murderer.

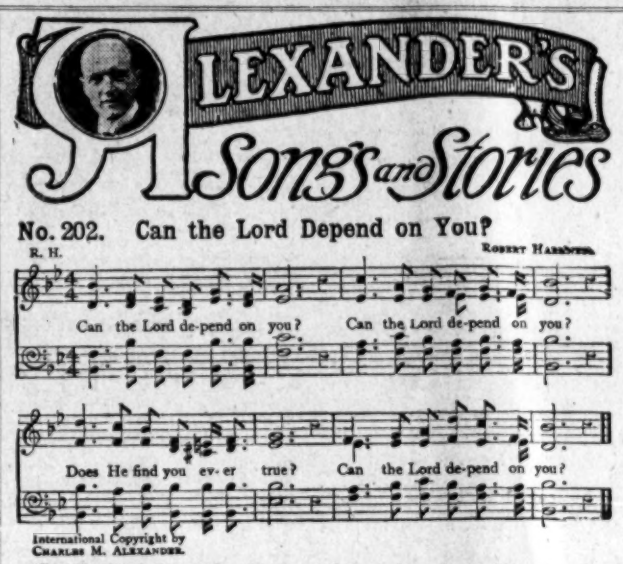
"I was in a Canadian city when I heard a rap at my door and a gentleman with a white face came in. He asked me to close the door and lock it, and then told me this sad story, that he had been a man of position and in sympathy with the church, had a theoretical belief in the Bible, expected some day to be an active Christian, but said he 'I came to this Canadian city and became too prosperous. I forgot God and all my good resolutions; I plunged into the world and drew my wife in with me. Her nature was weaker than mine, and she lost everything that makes a woman's life worth while. We had a little baby, and she killing her mother instinct, ran away with another man and left me with this baby. I was mad. I think I was insane. I came back and found my baby crying, and I put it in a room, closed the door and went away and stayed away, blind with drink, mad with passion, until when I came back the baby was dead. There is no hope for me, I tell you said he. I insisted that he kneel down with me and pray, and while I was praying I heard him move. When I lifted my eyes the door was open and he was gone. I have never seen him since. His awful experiences was the perfected work of the enemy of your soul, the one of whom I speak tonight. There is only one way of escape from him, and that is to say I will go to God and accept Christ as my Saviour.

"It is a solemn thing to be under conviction and not yield.

"1. For the reason that all the time you are growing weaker and sin is growing stronger.

"2. Because you have forced yourself to believe that tomorrow you may see the way more clearly, and tomorrow be the more worthy time to accept Christ, while all the time tomorrow is ahead of us and never comes. For some of us, tomorrow is eternity.

"It is said that Aaron Burr was at one time almost persuaded to be a Christian, and he went to the president of Princeton university and asked him what to do, and the president, thinking he knew him, said, 'I think I would advise you to wait to settle it when this wave of emotion is past.' And Aaron Burr said, 'I think that is just what I will do.' He did wait, and so far as friends knew he never made his decision. It is a solemn thing to be under conviction because it means the conflict of good or evil, and you must decide between the two, and no one can make your decision for you.

"I know of a man who witnessed such a conflict in a struggle for the mastery of his soul. The devil was blinding him, and God was pleading with him until at last in desperation he said, 'Oh, God, let me alone,' and He did. His case was hopeless from that day on. He never had another thought of being a Christian, and the struggle is on with you. God grant you may win the victory."

ALEXANDER'S
Songs and Stories
No. 202. Can the Lord Depend on You?
R. H.
ROBERT HARKNESS.
Can the Lord de-pend on you? Can the Lord de-pend on you?
Does He find you ev-er true? Can the Lord de-pend on you?
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"Can the Lord Depend on You."

This simple chorus has become as popular as almost any of his hymns. With it great audiences of 7,000 and over have been raised to the highest pitch of enthusiasm in ten minutes. At the Northfield Bible conference one summer it was sung, and hummed, and whistled all over the grounds.

One day, while in Australia, I told the following story at a meeting: "A man was once driving along in Iowa, with an old horse hitched to a load of wood. A friend came along with a fine horse hitched to a light buggy and began teasing him about his otd horse. The young man replied, 'My old horse may be ugly, and his mane is nearly all chawed off, and his tail is "forty ways for Sunday," but hitch him to a load of wood in two feet of snow, and I can always depend on him to pull me through. Can you depend on your fine horse that way?" So the Lord is looking for men on whom He can depend. Can He depend on you?"

The next day after hearing the story my pianist, Mr. Robert Harkness, wrote this chorus, and it has been an inspiration and a help to people all over the world.

Charles M. Alexander
II Timothy 2:15

COLLEGE OF BISHOPS OF METHODIST CHURCH MEETS

Sunday, May 21, Designated as American Bible Society Day.

Nashville, Tenn., April 28.—The college of the bishops of the Methodist church, South, met in annual session here today to arrange for the visitation of the bishops to the various annual conference next year. The assignment of bishops was replaced in the hands of a committee composed of Bishops Murrah, Kilgo and Lambuth.

It was decided to designate Sunday, May 21, as American Bible Society day. In other denominations Sunday, May 7 is the day for the general observance of the centennial of the American Bible Society. The change in date for the Methodist Episcopal church, South, is because of the fact that a year ago the church extension board designated May 7 as church extension Sunday.

TABERNACLE NOTES

(Contributed).

"He that believeth not God hath made a liar, because he believeth not the record that God gave of His Son. And this is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in His Son."

There will be no meeting at the Tabernacle today, Saturday being observed as a rest day by the evangelists.

"I would be willing to preach, and not preach again," said Dr. Chapman, "if as a result of the sermons ,the songs, the prayers, and the efforts of all the workers, Wilmington might be shaken as no city in the South has been shaken in a generation." And there was many a softly-breathed Amen to the statement.

A meeting, the importance of which cannot be over-estimated and on the results of which Dr. Chapman and Mr. Alexander are counting for much, is the service for men only, which will be held at the Tabernacle on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock—not 3:30 at which hour the other meetings on Sundays are advertised.

That the results of the meetings thus far have pleased the evangelists there is not the slightest doubt. Dr. Chapman said that in Goldsboro yesterday, he was asked by Charlotte people how the Wilmington work compared with the meetings in Charlotte, and he had to divert the conversation, because ne would have had to state that the Wilmington meetings had surpassed those of Charlotte. When the folks from Asheville asked a like question, Dr. Chapman was thrown into a similar quandary.

What will probably prove to be the most interesting week of the whole campaign is that announced as "Old Home Week," which begins on Monday. A series of special services, with music bearing upon the home and home influences, and sermons dealing particularly with the family and the home will run throughout the week. Dr. Chapman's subjects are: Monday, "Home Night," Tuesday, "The Prodigal Daughter;" Wednesday, "The Prodigal Son;" Thursday, "Going Home;" Friday, "A Broken Family Circle." Of this interesting series, the service of greatest interest will probable be that of Monday night.

Charles M. Alexander is a soul-winner. Looking beyond his fund of humor which is forever bubbling to the surface, one sees the strong, steady Christian character of the man, who has devoted his life to this work. He is an ardent personal worker, and though it is not always possible for him to work among an audience, he never lets slip an opportunity in a meeting or out of it, of speaking to people about the Kingdom of God. Nothing pleases him more than to see a soul won for Christ, and his hearty "Amen" as a worker brings a new convert up the aisle serves not only as a benediction on the new decision made, but also as an inspiration to the worker.

Rev. M. T. Plyler, in announcing his delegations at last night's service, said that they made up in quality that evening for what they lacked in quantity. There was only one delegation, but it was a good one—it was the Rotary Club, which was addressed by Dr. Chapman at a luncheon during the week. "Just as heartily as they welcomed me there," said Dr. Chapman, "I welcome them here. I do sincerely hope that this meeting may be to you and to your organization a great inspiration. I also hope that everyone of you who has not yet become a Christian will do so tonight. We hope that your club will grow, and that your influence will widen, and that you will do great things for this city."

When the invitation is given at the close of the sermon each evening, one of the first of the personal workers to go down among the audience is Mrs. Chapman. Although it does not come so prominently before the public, Mrs. Chapman's work is as vital a part of the evangelistic force as is the preaching and singing. With Mrs. Chapman religion is woven into the texture of body, brain and heart, and it is as natural for her to talk about the Kingdom of God as it is to breathe. Her fine personality, forever radiating a sunny, bouyant Christianity, is a constant source of inspiration to other members of the party. Although the campaign has just passed the half-way mark, there are many women and girls in Wilmington today, whom Mrs. Chapman has been the means of leading to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.

Mr. Brown sang as a solo last night a hymn, which ranks high in the list of Gospel solos. Dr. Chapman said he thought the song worthy of applause, because it carried in it a triumphant note of faith, and when Mr. Brown concluded his fine rendering of it, the audience broke into acclamation. The first verse with the chorus indicates the theme of the hymn:

"They say my Lord was but a man,
Who struggled on like you and me
To give the world a perfect plan
Of what a perfect man should be.

But I know He has redeemed me,
From my sin He set me free,
Yes, I know He has redeemed me,
For He died on Calvary."

This song is the product of two Australians, and the composer, Mr. Robert Harkness, who was a former pianist of Mr. Alexander's, has in his melody given a wonderful accurate expression to the theme of the hymn.

For Sunday there is offered a programme of evangelistic services to suit people of all ages and classes. The Gospel will be preached and sung in a way, and in meetings so widely distributed, that it should be possible for everybody in Wilmington to hear the message. At 3 o'clock in the Tabernacle Dr. Chapman and Mr. Alexander will conduct a great meeting for men only. Mr. Barraclough will be at the piano, and Mr. Brown will sing. At 3:30 in the First Baptist church, Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Alexander will conduct a meeting for women. Girls from 12 to 18 years of age will have an opportunity of hearing a special message from Mr. Schaeffer at Grace Methodist church at 3:30, and at 4 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A., Mr. Schaeffer will talk to boys from 13 to 17 years old. In the lecture room of the First Baptist church at 3:30, there will be a special meeting for younger children. At 7:30 p. m. the big general meeting in the Tabernacle will be open to all.

THE CONVERT'S PRAYER

By W. W. Rock.

Heavenly Father,
Shield me from sin,
Hold me when tempted,
Help me to win
Fierce be the struggle,
I shall not fall
Steadfastly trusting,
One above all.

Weak is my nature;
Strong Son of God,
Bearer of burdens,
Carry my load.
Walk with me daily,
Thy love instil,
Shape me and mould me,
After Thy will.

Prodigal, wayward,
Too apt to roam—
Friend of the sinner,
Shepherd me home.
Home to those wondrous
Glories untold,
Guide me and lead me
Up to Thy fold.

Lord, I surrender,
Accepting Thee
As my own Saviour,
Who died for me.
Matchless Redeemer,
Wonderful Friend,
Hold me and keep me,
True till the end.

Wilmington, N. C.

Toledo, Ohio, April 28.—Ralph Comstock, pitcher, who, since the training season, has been with the Toledo American Association club, left tonight for Louisville to join the Milwaukee club which has purchased his released from Providence, in the International League.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION AND GENERAL PRIMARY.

Notice is hereby given of the General Primary in the County of New Hanover on the first Saturday in June, it being the 3rd day of June, 1916.

Said primary will be held during the hours (between sunrise and sunset) and in the manner prescribed by law, and at the places hereinafter named.

Registration books will be opened April 27th and remain open up to and including May 20th, subject to Section Five, Chapter 101, "An Act to Provide for Primary Elections Throughout the State."

The polling places, and the names of the Registrars and Judges of Election fixed for the aforesaid primary and general election are as follows:

For General Primary, June 3, 1916.

Cape Fear Precinct—Polling place, Johnson's store; Registrar, J. H. Johnson; Judges, W. O. Rhodes, Jr., J. H. Winders.

Seven Mile Post Precinct — Polling place, Farrow's store; Registrar, N. E. Farrow; Judges, Gerrit Walker, W. O. West.

Masonboro Precinct — Polling place, Hewlett's Creek; Registrar, Walter Horne; Judges, J. B. Piner, Addison Hewlett.

Federal Point Precinct—Polling place, Burnett's store; Registrar, T. J. Burnett; Judges, J. A. Biddle, Hanks Williams.

Winter Park Precinct—Polling place, High's store; Registrar, A. H. High; Judges, R. T. Sinclair, Hardy Freeman.

Sea Gate — Polling place, Rodger's store; Registrar, L. Larkins; Judges, G. W. Westbrook, Geo. Rodgers.

First Ward — Polling place, Engine House, Fourth and Campbell; Registrar, W. H. Howe; Judges, James Elkins, R. J. Darden, Sr.

Second Ward—Polling place, Court House; Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, D. H. Howes, Jr., W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward—Polling place, Giblem Lodge, up stairs; Registrar, A. G. Hankins; Judges, H. E. Bonitz, Coy Hewelett.

Fourth Ward—Polling place, McClellan's stables; Registrar, J. B. King; Judges, T. D. Love, S. Zeigler.

First Division Fifth Ward—Polling place, New Engine House; Registrar, J. E. Taylor; Judges, A. W. Branch, Thos. Lawson.

Second Division Fifth Ward—Polling place, Old Engine House; Registrar, T. G. Landen; Judges, J. B. Fales, Wm. Creasy.

Sixth Ward—Polling place, Mann's store; Registrar, J. F. Mann; Judges, W. I. Holt, W. A. Woods.

C. W. WOODWARD,
Chairman Board of Elections.

For House of Representatives
L. CLAYTON GRANT

D. L. BOYD
Democratic Candidate
for
Corporation Commissioner of North Carolina.

D. L. Boyd, of Haywood County, Democratic candidate for Corporation Commissioner, the man who presents himself for the consideration of the Democratic voters of the State upon his experience and ability and peculiar knowledge of the duties of a corporation commissioner. He has had more than twenty-five years' experience in actually building railroads, and has an intimate knowledge of the values of land, public utility properties, and theories of taxation.
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AN EVENT
WATCH
Sunday's Star
For Particulars

FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage executed by Matilda A. Hayden, Mary Katherine Hayden, Mary T. Hayden, and John Henry Hayden to Nonie F. King, dated the 14th day of February, A. D., 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, in Book 74, page 424, et seq., expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the front Court House door of New Hanover County, on Monday, the 1st day of May, A. D. 1916, at 12 o'clock, M., all of the right, title, interest, property and estate of the said John Henry Hayden in and to all of that lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of New Hanover, state of North Carolina, city of Wilmington, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—

BEGINNING at a point in the western line of Third street, 66 ft. south from the intersection of said western line of Third street with the southern line of Princess street, and running thence southwardly along said western line of Third street 66 ft.; thence westwardly parallel to Princess street 165 ft.; thence northwardly parallel to Third street 66 ft.; thence eastwardly parallel to Princess street 165 ft. to the point of beginning. The same being the eastern half of Lot 2, Block 168, according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington.

At this sale, only the interest conveyed by the said John Henry Hayden to said Nonie F. King by the said mortgage will be sold, and not the interest of Matilda A. Hayden, who owns a life estate in the same, nor the interest of Mary Katherine Hayden, Mary T. Hayden, or any other interest, other than the interest which John Henry Hayden owned in said property at the time of the execution of the said mortgage.

Dated and posted this the 31st day of March, A. D. 1916.

NONIE F. KING, Mortgagee.
E. K. Bryan, Attorney.
ap1-30t

FOR SHERIFF
Geo. C. Jackson

To the Voters of New Hanover County:

My name will be presented for your consideration at Primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd.

GEO. C. JACKSON.
ap16-49t

FOR SHERIFF

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned begs the privilege of placing before you once again his candidacy for Sheriff, to be voted upon at the primary, June 3rd. I seek this honor at your hands, standing upon my service of the past many years, and will appreciate deeply your support, promising at all times to make faithful returns of duty and to have an eye for the welfare of the entire community.

Respectfully,
ap8 to je3 S. P. COWAN.

R. C. Fergus for Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County. Subject to the will of the voters to be expressed in the primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd, 1916, if elected will endeavor to serve all the people to the best of my ability without control of any person or persons. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

ap 22-t-je-3. R. C. FERGUS.

FOR RECORDER
BROOKE G. EMPIE

I herewith present my name to the voters of New Hanover County for the office of Recorder, to be voted on at the primary to be held June 3rd, 1916.

It will greatly gratify me to have all my old friends' support and I will thank them for any efforts in my behalf in getting some new friends to aid them in nominating me for the office.

Let lawyers interpret the law.
ap14-30t BROOKE G. EMPIE.

FOR SHERIFF.

I announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County, and respectfully solicit the kind consideration and support of the voters at the Primary on June 3rd.

Be sure to see that you are registered, and vote for

Yours truly,
ap16-30t JOS. H. WATTERS.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned hereby announces himself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, in the Primary Election to be held June 3rd, 1916.

I shall endeavor to serve you as efficiently in the future as I have in the past. Respectfully,
ap20-45t* JOHN HAAR.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner in the Primary election, June 3rd, 1916. W. E. YOPP.
ap23-40t

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby place my name before the Democratic voters of New Hanover County as candidate for County Commissioner, in the primary to be held June 3d, 1916, promising, if elected, to perform the duties of Commissioner to the best of my ability.
ap23-42t WM. E. WORTH.

CHAPMANISMS

Certainly there is a personal Devil.

He does the work of a person.

His influence is that of a person.

He was once an angel of light, and fell.

He has been called by various names, but his nature is unchanging.

The Devil deceives, destroys, and ultimately dooms.

He is at work everywhere. I have seen the print of his cloven hoof in New York, and in all the cities I have visited.

It is the Devil who hurts the life of the young, breaks the heart of a mother, ruins the prospects of youth, and mocks at old age.

Some people make the Devil a joke, but they do it to their sorrow.

The Devil binds with silken cords, but it is bondage nevertheless.

No one can appreciate the personality of Satan without studying the subject of angels and demons.

The Scriptures contain scarcely less proof of a personal God than of a personal Devil.

His doom is certain.

Hell was prepared for him and for his angels, and one day he will be cast into Hell.

He tempts the man who is a Christian and seeks in every way to overthrow him.

He brings up past sins and mocks us with them.

He accuses of insincerity until the Christian is afraid to work.

There is one weapon of which the Devil is afraid. It is the Sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God.

The Devil must laugh when he is able to persuade a minister to criticise unfairly God's Word.

The Devil has his agents in every saloon.

The open saloon is the door to Hell, and the Devil is claiming his victims there by the thousand.

There is only one way to escape from him and that is, traveling the way that leads to the Cross.

Men don't believe in a Devil now,
As their fathers used to do,
They force the doors of the broadest creed,
To let his form pass through.

The Devil is voted not to be,
And of course the thing is true,
But who is doing the kind of work,
The Devil alone should do?

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

A man standing in the presence of God saying, "What have I done?" is like a man standing on the edge of a precipice and stepping over with all the law of gravitation dragging him down, saying, "What have I done?" Why, you have done this, you have broken a law, and you are paying the penalty.

—CHAPMAN.

The lawn mower now begins to look as if it has grown four sizes larger than it was last summer.

Soft crabs are here, but who cares whether they are served with parsley or other kinds of fodder?

Our old friend Jonah says it's about time for him to hope for the worst so everything will turn right out for the best.

A fellow thinks every now and then he will quit being a rank partisan, but he proves to be just as rank as the campaign.

There is more to put in the pot since spring produce came upon the market, but winter prices seem to linger on the lap of spring.

When a man leaves a wife and five children unprovided for, it is no sure sign that he was honest. He may have insisted on being a newspaper man.

Anyhow, the delegates to the Chicago convention will be an unknown quantity till Teddy shows up on the scene in charge of the soul of the Nation.

The Outlook's three R's slogan is "Root, Roosevelt and Reunion." Otherwise, it is more likely to be Root, Roosevelt and Ruin for the G. O. P.

The most noise is being made by a man who says he isn't running for president. At the same time he has not explained why he is making all the noise.

A conference of ministers up North has decided to pray that this country may avert war. However, there are certain interests which would do all their preying in the event of war.

A California judge is letting a young woman use her remedy on his head with the hope of getting his hair restored. It's hard to tell whether the judge is a man of faith or just a sly old sport.

When a man puts his foot in it he can call on help but when he sticks his head in the noose it is too late to call for help. We fear that is what Sir Roger Casement has done for himself.

A Republican contemporary says: "Mexico needs another Diaz." She got rid of the one she had, but it was too late. He didn't leave much for any other Diaz to get. Too much Diaz is what is the matter with Mexico.

Says the Newbern Sun: "In response to our request for a key to the Mexican situation, the Kinston Free Press informs us that they have no 'keys' to that section of the country." Don't mention it, but the only key to the Mexican situation is Yankee.

The G. O. P. shows signs of keeping out of the clutches of the Bull Moose, but the party of Abraham Lincoln isn't quite out of the woods yet already. If it turns its back on Teddy, he will have to eat crow or summon against the old party the hosts of Armageddon.

That more than a thousand delegates should have attended the Democratic State convention at a time when there was no special contest for nominations and elections is significant, but no less so than the fact that with all this large attendance there was not a note of discord nor any trace of opposition to Wilson or any of the policies of the National administration. Judging from all the evidences at hand, North Carolina Democracy was never more united nor better prepared to vanquish the enemy than it is this year. At the same time the Republican party, with its heavy load of Butlerism, has rarely been more handicapped.

WAR TAXES AND EXTRAVAGANCE

Owing to the fact that the country launched out on prosperity and paralyzed that good old Republican song and dance about the ruin of American industries, The Star had to take a paragraphic laugh at the hue and cry of Republican papers about war taxes and Democratic extravagance This is all we said:

"Republican papers in this State complain of excessive war taxes. So far as actual war taxes are concerned, the average citizen hasn't paid a cent. A patriotic citizen says he feels like he ought to pay a war tax as a thank offering, but so far he has paid out only eight cents on his banking and telegraphic transactions."

Our esteemed contemporary, the Winston Republican, refused to appreciate that paragraph, so it commented upon it in this serious tone:

"The special tax to which The Star alludes is called a 'war tax' and may not be applied directly to war purposes, but it is levied on things usually taxed for that purpose in time of war, and in the present instance goes to supply funds needed to meet Democratic extravagance, debt and deficiency and which have never been levied before under any administration unless in times of war. The people oppose it and have a just right for their opposition. And they will show their disapproval at the ballot box next November by an overwhelming defeat of the present national administration."

We really don't know whether the Democrats have been unusually extravagant or not, but we do know that the people are getting a great deal for their money. In North Carolina they are getting good schools for their children, but it is the people who are paying for them. In good old Republican days they paid their money in for schools but they did not get them, because something happened to the money. That makes us sad and it ought to make good Republicans sad. It was one of the things that gave the Republican party a bad reputation and which still causes the people to prefer to trust their money with the "extravagant" Democrats. Spending too much money for the people is extravagance, but making way with the people's money without leaving the people anything is profligacy. The people remember that profligate old Republican party and they are afraid to risk the new one under its present auspices. Comparisons are odious, but the people have their own way of comparing extravagance with profligacy. It's awful for them to do it but they do.

If alleged high taxes and extravagance are really fretting the Republicans we feel sorry for them, but they are getting something for their money. In addition to that, the Republicans and Democrats are putting more money in the banks than they ever did before, so growling for political effect is inconsistent and out of order. A Democratic Congress has given all the people the only banking system the Nation ever had and they have saved the people lots of money by keeping the tariff pirates from grafting on them. Of course, they have levied a war tax, but it was needed because the Republicans never left anything in the Treasury so Democrats at Washington could notice it.

We hate war taxes, honest to goodness we do, but war comes high and has to be paid for. About 18 years from now we won't and cannot forget that the Democrats actualy levied a war tax, but we are sorry the Republicans can't remember war taxes as far back as 18 years ago. The McKinley war tax had us going then and we paid a much higher war tax then because we had to fight a war with Spain with a big Republican deficit in the Treasury in the bargain. It was all right, however, for McKinley was a great man and he was our president and it was our war and our country that he was looking after for us.

We don't know what in the world makes the memory of Republicans so short, but we guess they do not want to remember a thing that they want the people to forget. Really the Republicans ought to help us Democrats take care of and stand up for the country. Wilson ought to be their president like McKinley was ours, but we have never yet seen a Republican who wanted to stand by a Democrat when he was president of the United States of America. A little old war tax and more or less extravagance makes the Republicans want to repudiate the president, although he hasn't been extravagant and didn't bring on the war.

We never took any candy from a baby in our lives, but if we were to jump on a president while he was fighting Germany and Great Britain for a square deal for American lives and commerce and high sea rights, we thing it would be better to hold up a kid for some of his marshmallows.

Honest, this is a time when patriotic Republicans surely ought to discriminate between Woodrow Wilson and Marion Butler.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE SOUTH

The Southern Railway, it is announced, in conjunction with the Queen & Crescent Route and the Mobile & Ohio Railroad, will send their South American agent, Mr. Charles Lyon Chandler, on a South American tour this summer. He will take in Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay, where opportunities are reported to be particularly bright for the extension of American trade on account of conditions growing out of the war in Europe.

During the last two years it has been announced that there are many trade opportunities in South America for American manufacturers, exporters and importers, and even prior to the war trade opportunities for America were plentiful in the Latin-American countries to the south of us. Of course, trade cannot be buildt up in a day with a foreign country, but, according to the United States Department of Commerce, our rapidly growing trade with South America is one of the noticeable features of our commercial development. New York and other northern ports are exporting an immense amount of manufactures and commodities to South American countries.

Where do the Southern ports come in along this line? No doubt many of the manufactures now going from Northern ports by the millions of dollars consist of Southern factory products handled by middle men. It is time for our Southern ports to begin to think of direct trade with Central and South America, and certainly the Southern Manufacturers' Association ought to be pretty well posted now about Southern opportunities in South America.

The railroads mentioned aim to look up South American trade for Southern exporters. Mr. Chandler visited South America on a similar errand last summer, and again the enterprising railroads will send him on a trip that ought to be worth a great deal to the South.

Mr. Chandler will interview merchants and buyers and investigate trade opportunities generally so as to be able to advise Southern merchants and manufacturers where and how to place their products to the greatest advantage. While on this trip his services will be at the disposal of Southern firms who are anxious to have specific trade opportunities investigated, and he will also be glad to assist and promote their trade in any way possible. His address is 322 James Building, Chattanooga. No charge will be made for this service, the work being part of the Southern's general scheme for developing the South.

"There is a particularly good market for Southern cotton goods in Argentina and Uruguay at present," declares Mr. Chandler, "and over $10,000,000 worth of coton fabrics, piece goods, both bleached and colored, could be sold to Argentina alone from our Southern states. We only export $28,000,000 worth of cotton piece goods annually, while our exports of automobiles amount to $33,000,0000. The South Americans are now looking to the United States for manufactured goods and other products necessary in their every-day life, and there is no reason why the South should not get a full share of the business if it is sought in the proper way."

The Southern Railway and its allied lines evidently aim to promote direct trade from the South to South America—possibly through Mobile or New Orleans. However, we can have no direct trade without direct steamship service from our Southern ports. Neither can we have an export trade unless we manufacture or produce a surplus over and above the regul output of the mills. If they have a the domestic trade they can suppl they may have to enlarge their operations to take care of any trade they may get in South America. It certainly would afford them an opportunity t expand their business and probabl double their manufacturing plants, if they could establish direct trade relations with the Latins.

WHY CHARLOTTE GETS THEM

The reason that Charlotte is a manufacturing center and distributing point is so plain that no one need marvel at it. On many occasions we have pointed out that Charlotte's good fortune in being the clearing house for hydro-electric power gives her ideal advantages for manufacturing, while her location for covering South Atlantic territory makes her a natural distributing point. Therefore, it is no surprise to us to find such as this in the Charlotte Observer:

"Charlotte's future as an automobile center for the entire Southeast is assured by its present and by its past. Who was there a decade ago, or five years ago, bold enough to predict that in the year 1916 there would be handled in Charlotte automobiles costing more than $12,000,000? Yet that prediction was made yesterday, based on careful calculations, by men of wide experience in this field. The prediction is also made that the next few years will witness here an expansion in this industry that will eclipse all that has been done up to the present time.

"Whether Charlotte discovered for itself, or whether the outside corporations discovered for it, the tremendous advantage it has in location, does not mated. Certainly the knowledge came gradually. A few branches were established here by way of experiment, and those experiments paid rich dividnds in results. "Results" is the magic word that unlocks the treasury of modern business. By their fruits the Charlotte branches have been judged, and by their fruits Charlotte's claim to supremacy has been vinciated. The men who are most emphatic in asserting Charlotte's automobile leadership, the men who are most confident that it can be, should be and will be increased, are the men who are engaged in this business in competition with one another."

The map helps one to appreciate Charlotte's eligibility for interior distribution. The same map shows the eligibility of Wilmington for port distribution by rail and water and for port manufacturing of every description. The map is the best argument that one can show in behalf of either Wilmington or Charlotte.

Charlotte's potentialities for manufacturing and her advantages for distribution get them.

The Durham Herald remarks: "From the way the Democrats talk, one who did not know might get the idea that they fear Mr. Butler." It is dread of him that is mistaken for fear. It is Butler and the consequences to their State that makes all true North Carolinians look to one of her true sons to save the State.

Enjoy one of the usual sea trips. Steamer Wilmington leaves Sunday 10:00 A. M.

(Advertisement).

CURRENT COMMENT

The Standard Oil Company of Ohio has declared a 100 per cent dividend. Now we know that the officials spoke the truth when they said they could not cut down the price of gasoline. They needed the money for dividends.—

Mr. Mitchell, who has flung his headgear into Mr. Kitchin's ring, is by commony testimony, as well as by the uncommon testimony of his opponent, a fine man. From what we hear of him, we doubt if he ever did anything to deserve the support of the New York Herald.—Greensboro News.

The people of the State will be interested in the announcement coming from Wilmington that work is to begin within the next thirty days or the new half million dollar Custom House. An eastern company has the contract for the work but it is gratifying to know that, aside from the several foremen required, the labor, averaging possibly a hundred men a day, will be secured in Wilmington and vicinity.—Kinston Free Press.

"Another big industry has been started to help boost Arcadia," declares the Enterprise, which refers to the establishment of a factory by Thomas Gaskins, Jr., and others for the purpose of putting up mixed feed, manufacturing grits, hulling velvet beans and rice. "Such a factory will fill a long felt want," says the Enterprise. "We can raise rice to perfection and there is no reason in the world why we should depend upon other sections to furnish us with this staple food product." The farmers in that section of DeSoto county will be urged to raise rice and corn, and velvet beans will also be handled at the new mill.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

Just before the European war broke out nearly two years ago the Seaboard was preparing to put on an additional passenger train between Hamlet and Wilmington, this in response to demand for such additional service. The war stopped the service and nothing has been said about it until now. But patrons of the road are again agitating the matter and it is believed that now is the time for this service to be put on. Petitions are being signed, asking for an additional train to leave Wilmington about 8:30 a. m., arrive Hamlet 12:30 p. m., connecting there with numbers 31 and 34, from Raleigh and Rutherfordton, respectively; and, leave Hamlet 1:30 p. m., arrive Wilmington 5:30 p. m. The new train, it is suggested, should run through to Rutherfordton, as no through service is maintained at present. It is argued that the territory on the Seaboard between Hamlet and Wilmington is at present at great disadvantage as to passenger service, the unsatisfactory character of which not only affects this territory, but that between Hamlet and Rutherfordton and Hamlet and Raleigh. The establishment and maintenance of the service requested would permit the operation with greater regularity of the present passenger trains between Hamlet and Wilmington, would increase both the passenger and freight service, and would tend to the development of this territory. It is to be hoped that the Seaboard will put on these additional trains at the earliest possible moment. —Lumberton Robesonian.

THE WAY

By Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman, D. D.

"Not 'a' way—As if there were many to choose from, any one of which we think might be worth while.

Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman.

But "the" way—The only way traveling along the line of which there is peace and contentment, and at the end of which there is everlasting satisfaction.

Not the world's way—For that might mean success at any cost and without respect to others about us. It may mean another's defeat, but it is success, and the world applauds it.

But "the" way—Walked in another's strength, guided by another's eye, inspired with an ambition to help others on as we go forward, and are satisfied only with that victory which means another's blessing as well as ours.

It is "the" way—From selfishness, pride, and sin, and toward the only life that is worth while—for which we are in preparation here and which we are to live out in an unending eternity.

It is here and now—That the way stretches out just ahead of us, which is "the" way to honesty, sobriety, temperance, righteousness, good citizenship, noblest manhood, most beautiful womanhood. It is the way to Heaven, and it is Heaven as we go.

It is "the" way—Of God's own building, and it is not of man's construction. It is the Christian way along which our mothers and our fathers traveled.

Would you travel along this way? Then, listen—Jesus is speaking:

"I am the way, the truth and the life."
St. John, 14:6.

Without Him as the way there is nothing but wandering—
Without Him as the truth there is nothing but error—
Without Him as the life there is nothing but death.

MR. C. W. MILLER DEAD

Greensboro Insurance Man Dies at North Wilkesboro.

Greensboro, N. C., April 28.—C. W. Miller, of the insurance firm of Miller, Robins & Weil, of Greensboro, died last night at the home of his brother in North Wilkesboro. After graduating from the State University, he was in business here for several years. Bad health caused him to go to Colorado six years ago. He returned four weeks ago and since then no hope of recovery was entertained. He was 32 years old and un-married.

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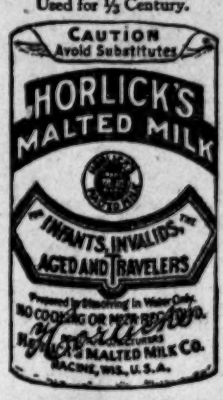

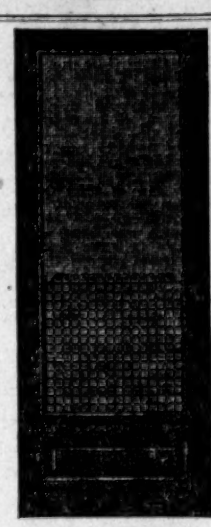

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We, the undersigned Democrats of New Hanover County, recognizing the splendid service rendered by the present Board of Commissioners, and appreciating the importance of continuing the developments which they have under way, take this opportunity of presenting to the voters of the county the names of W. A. McGirt, M. S. Willard and W. E. Yopp, members of the present Board of Commissioners, whose terms of office will expire December 1st, 1916, as candidates to succeed themselves. These gentlemen constitute a majority of the Board, and we believe that a continuation of the personnel of that Board, unchanged, will best serve the interests of the people and the affairs of our county. We give these gentlemen our hearty endorsement and recommend them to the voters for their consideration and support at the primary election on June 3rd.

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HEALTH TALKS

BY WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

A LITTLE CHAFF EACH DAY

"At our house we are afraid," writes a minister's better half, "that Doctor Brady is growing too serious. He used to mix a bit of chaff with the good things served up in our favorite newspapers. Now we go for days and days at a time without a smile. We trust this is only a temporary indisposition. We like health talks served with a dash of humor."

The indisposition is serious. A fat lady complained to the editors when we intimated, in our droll fashion, that she probably ate too much. We meant it. All fat folks do just that, in our opinion. But you know, when a doctor tries to lecture his patients some of them suspect he is laughing at them, and that will never do. It is the same with readers. If we sprinkle in a handful of chaff now and then, somebody is sure to get more of it in his eye and go and tell the editors on us. And the editors, poor fellows, have to please everybody.

But you are right. A little chaff every day is sorely needed by the great American people. Who was the philosopher who said: Keep the head cool and the bowels open—or something like that? There was wisdom in it, anyway. But how are you to do it?

Not by pills. Not by internal baths, so-called. Not by harsh, unnatural cathartics. But by diet, exercise and habit.

A little chaff every day. Or, in plainer words, eat bran. Back to the whole wheat of our ancestors. What? You don't like whole wheat bread? Then eat bran. Bran as bran. Bran as grains. Bran mixed in with your favorite cereal. There are dozens of recipes which utilize bran and taste mighty good too. You can buy clean, sterilized bran in cartons like those in which various cereal preparations are marketed. It seems like buying boxed atmosphere, but it is really health you are buying.

At least a tablespoonful of bran should be smuggled in three times a day, however you take it. It supplies what Nature intended for man's archaic food tube. That is enough. We needn't speak of the value of mineral salts, vitamines, and other things that may add to the health value of bran. It saves pill bills, that's enough. Bran keeps the farmer's stock in condition. It might do as much for the ultimate consumer, if the great American pill hadn't such a grip on the people.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Strong Eyes Not From Eye Lotions

Please give a good formula for an eye water to strengthen the eyes.

Answer—If you have some chronic trouble with the eyes it should be treated. If not, don't bathe the eyes with any medicament whatever. Certainly no such method will improve the eyesight. The tears supply all the eye water normally necessary.

Whiskey Worst Thing for Shock

A girl in our factory had her fingers crushed in a machine. The foreman poured a great deal of whiskey down her throat, and she presently became wildly intoxicated. Is whiskey a good remedy for shock or collapse from injury?

Answer—The worst possibly remedy. The foreman ought to be punished for his misguided enthusiasm. Whiskey, outside of the movies and the tencent novel, is never resorted to in medical or surgical emergencies of that kind.

Dr. Brady will answer all signed letters pertaining to Health. If your question is of general interest it will be answered through these columns; if not it will be answered personally if stamped, addressed envelop is enclosed. Dr. Brady will not prescribe for individual cases or make diagnoses. Address Dr. William Brady, care of this newspaper.

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GRAND COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS AT MEETING

State Convention of Royal Arcanum Held in Salisbury

Grand Secretary H. E. Bonitz and Dr. S. Mendelssohn, Grand Chaplain, of Wilmington Re-Elected.

From the mountains to the sea Royal Arcanum gathered this week in Salisbury for the annual meeting of the Grand Council for the State of North Carolina and the people of that progressive Piedmont city did themselves proud in entertaining their visitors. "Salisbury is a good town," is the slogan of Rowan's capital and that sentiment finds a responsive place in the hearts of the Wilmington delegation, which returned yesterday from the convention.

The representatives from Wilmington were: Mr. H. E. Bonitz, grand secretary; Dr. S. Mendelsohn, grand chaplain; Mr. W. J. Toomer, grand trustee; Mr. F. W. Bonitz, representative from Carolina Council, and Mr. J. Weil representative from Cornelius Harnett Council.

The convention met in Salisbury on Wednesday and continued in session through Thursday night. Mayor Walter H. Woodson, a member of Salisbury Council, welcomed the visitors and Mr. S. M. Brinson, of Newbern, made the response. On Wednesday evening the visitors and the local members of the order had a banquet at the Empire Hotel which was a most pleasant and enjoyable affair. Hon. Theodore F. Kluttz, former mayor of the city, Ex-Congressman and judge, was toastmaster. His reputation as a speaker is well known in the western part of the State and he presided with splendid grace.

The committee on entertainment was composed of Mr. Theodore Buerbaum, Mayor Walter H. Woodson, Mr. Julius M. Miller, Mr. Thomas P. Johnston and Mr. J. M. Brown.

The following officers wer eelected for the ensuing year by the Grand Council: Grand Regent, Dr. Rufus L. Allen, Waynesville; grand orator, Mr. Thomas P. Johnston, Salisbury; grand secretary, Mr. H. E. Bonitz, Wilmington; grand treasurer, Mr. George R. Wootten, Hickory; grand chaplain, Dr. S. Mendelsohn, Wilmington; grand guide, Mr. Herman Heller, Raleigh; grand warden, Mr. John Machin, Asheville; grand sentry, Mr. R. L. Poston, Statesville; supervising medical examiner, Dr. J. Howell Way, Waynesville; supreme representative, H. B. Craven, Ridgecrest; alternate, E. L. Harris, Raleigh.

Messrs. Thomas W. Slocumb, of Goldsboro; James M. Norwood, of Raleigh, and William J. Toomer, of Wilmington, were re-elected as grand trustees. Messrs. Benj. Worsley, of Rocky Mount; E. T. Stewart, of Washington, and William P. Jones, of Newbern, were elected members of the finance committee.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF COUNTY SCHOOLS LARGELY ATTENDED

Exercises Were Held Last Night at Oak Hill and East Wilmington.

Large audiences composed of pupils, patrons and friends of the Oak Hill and East Wilmington schools attended the annual commencement exercises which were held at the schools last night.

At the East Wilmington school very creditable exercises, which included recitations, songs and declamations by the pupils were held. Dennis Blake, a pupil at this school was awarded the second prize for putting up the second best paper in a grammar contest held in the schools throughout the county. The winner of the first prise in the contest was Miss Elsie Henniker, of the Carolina Beach school. Short addresses on the exercises were made by Prof. Washington Catlett and Supt. J. J. Blair.

At the closing exercises at the Oak Hill school, which were held in the afternoon with a country picnic at 3 o'clock, and were concluded last night with an elaborate programme of recitations and songs by the pupils, County Farm Demonstrator J. P. Herring and Professor Catlett both made short talks.

MORE CONTRIBUTIONS MADE

For Support of the Baby Hospital Which Opens on Monday of Next Week

The ladies who have been soliciting funds for the support of the hospital for babies which will be opened on Monday of next week have been meeting with splendid success in their undertaking and have already secured more than $800 for this noble work. The following additional contributions have been received since the last list was published:

Hugh MacRae	$50.00
Geo. B. Elliott	25.00
R. H. Pickett	5.00
Thos. F. Wood	5.00
Fred W. Dick, Jr.	2.50
Louise Dick	2.50

RESIDENCE ON CAROLINA BEACH ROAD WAS BURNED

Owner Was Able to Save Contents, But Had No Insurance on Place.

The residence of Mr. John Keys on the Carolina Beach road was burned to the ground Thursday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock. It was a six-room building and was the old family place.

For a number of years, Mr. Keys who conducts a store nearby, has lived there alone. As there was no insurance on the building it represents a total loss. Mr. Keys was able to save most of the furniture before the house was destroyed.

ANGLER GETS FINE STRING

Mr. George Hutaff Lands Seven Big Drum on Shell Island.

Mr. George Hutaff fishing off of Shell Island near Wrightsville Beach yesterday afternoon caught a string of seven drum, which weighed from 15 to 30 pounds. It was one of the finest strings of fish that has been caught by a local angler in many seasons.

Mr. Hutaff started fishing in the afternoon about 3 o'clock and before 8 o'clock had landed his last fish.

In Recorder's Court.

Yesterday morning's session of the Recorder's court Washington Moore, colored, charged with the larceny of a suit of clothes from his roommate, was found not guilty, and T. B. Collins, colored, charged with riding a bicycle in a reckless manner, was also found guilty.

NEW AUTO PASSENGER LINE

Wilmington to Have Additional Transportation Service in Heart of City After May the 10th.

After May 10th Wilmington is to have additional passenger transportation service in the heart of the city. On this date the Cross-Town Transit Company, recently incorporated by the Secretary of State and closely allied with the Tidewater Power Company, will begin the operation of two-seven-passenger Hudson super-six automobiles in the main shopping and residence section of the city for passenger service.

The purpose of the new company, it is stated, is to give the best of service in such localities in Wilmington as are found to be in need of additional transportation facilities and where the patronage will make it pay. It is the intention of the company to give a comfortable cross town shopping service to sections adjacent to Third and Fifth, between Castle and Red Cross streets, on Market between Fifth and Eighth and on Chestnut and Market between Third and Front and on Front between Chestnut and Market streets.

It is thought that this will make an especially desirable line for visitors, shoppers and business men who reside near this route. The line will be inaugurated on May 10th and will continue daily thereafter. The hours of service will be from 8 A. M. to noon and from 12:30 P. M. to 7 P. M. Two cars will be run over the route in opposite directions and anyone can reach a desired point of destination on the route by taking either car, the fare being only five cents for a complete round trip. As the cars will go through the best and most attractive part of the city these cars are expected to prove especially popular for those wishing to ride for recreation and to get a pleasant outing and fresh air.

The schedules will be changed and improved as may be found to be most desirable. The cars will be the new Hudson of seven passenger capacity and will be known as "cross-town" cars. They will be designated by two small red squares on either side of the wind shields. The chauffeurs will be dressed in uniform and men have been selected for the positions who are known to be reliable and they are now being instructed in the proper operation of the cars.

The company decided after careful consideration to use the standard size automobile as it is believed that passengers would prefer them on account of comfort rather than a vehicle on the type of a bus, carrying a larger number of passengers. The operation of these cars will make it more expensive but it is believed will give greater satisfaction.

One of the cars will be run from "Electric Center" along Front street to Market; along Market to Third; Third to Castle; back on Third to Church; Church to Fifth; Fifth to Dock; Dock to Eighth; Eighth to Market; Market to Fifth; Fifth to Walnut; Walnut to Third; Third to Red Cross; back Third to Chestnut; Chestnut to Front, thence to "Electric Center." The other car will be run in the opposite direction over the same route.

It is announced that the company will later try out other routes and wherever patronage warrants permanent service it will be continued.

GOVERNMENT WANTS SKILLED MEN FOR LUCRATIVE POSITIONS

Examinations for Eligibles to Fill Vacancies to be Held Soon.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces several examinations to be held at an early date in Wilmington and other cities throughout the country to secure a list of eligibles for lucrative positions for men of training and ability. Full particulars may be had from the Civil Service Commission or from the secretary of the Civil Service Board in Wilmington.

On May 17th an examination will be held for assistant to expert in commerce and finance at a salary of from $1,400 to $2,000. Applicants must be graduates of a college or university of recognized standing or must have graduated from a four years' high school course and have had four years of experience in commerce, manufacture or finance in foreign trade promotion work.

On the same date an examination will be given for assistant in poisonous plants investigations at a salary of from $1,200 to $1,500 a year. Graduation from a college or university with special training in zoology, botany and elementary chemistry is a prerequisite. An examination will also be given for assistant in water requirement investigations at a salary of from $1,080 to $1,380 per annum.

On May 16th an examination will be given for expert in commerce and finance at a salary of from $2,000 to $2,500 a year. Applicants for this position must be graduates of colleges or universities and should have had two years of postgraduate work in commerce and finance or two years of responsible experience in some important branch of manufacturing, banking or commerce.

On May 23rd an examination will be given for general mechanic at a salary of $800 a year.

On June 7th an examination will be given for junior architect for the Interstate Commerce Commission at a salary of $1,200 to $1,680 a year. An examination will be given at the same time for chemist at a salary of $1,200 and for printer in the government printing office.

ARMORED CRAB OF UNKNOWN SPECIES FOUND AT BEACH

Has Wicked-Looking Pair of Disappearing Nippers

An armored crab, which appears to be half animal and half shell-fish from the fact that its underside covered with hair, was sucked up yesterday morning by the Tidewater Power Company's sand dredge which is at work in Bank's channel near Wrightsville Beach.

On account of the fact that it is unlike any tenants of local waters, Mr. Alfred E. Townsend brought the curious specimen up to the city and turned it over to Mr. Walter E. Yopp at his undertaking establishment on Princess street, who says he intends to preserve it in alcohol and send it to the State Museum at Raleigh.

It is peculiar in more ways than one. It has nippers which when folded up are invisible and the outside side of the claws above the nippers are covered with a shell coating. When the claws are folded the whole crab is practically fully clad in armor for defensive purposes. Its jacket closely resembles porcelain in color, while its claws have the rich tints of the inside of a West Indian conch shell.

WILL LECTURE ON JUDAISM

Mme. Bella Pevsner to Speak at Royal Theatre Sunday Evening on "Secret of Jewish Survival."

Born in one country, educated in another, and married in a third, Mme. Bella Pevsner, who is to speak at the Royal theatre tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock on "The Secret of the Jewish Revival," has had an opportunity to study conditions on a wide scale. Up to ten years ago Mme. Pevsner was a cosmopolite; today she is devoting her life to her own people, striving to inspire them, especially the women, with the possibilities of their race.

She has lectured extensively in Europe, the Orient, South Africa and the United States. She arrived in Wilmington yesterday. The keynote of her personality is a fervid sincerity. It glows in her pleading eloquence and smolders in her casual remarks. Though gifted with a commanding presence and intellectual vigor, she knows no trace of aggressiveness.

The lecture by Mme. Pevsner in Wilmington will be under the auspices of the Young Men's Hebrew Association. Dr. S. Mendelssohn, rabbi of the Temple of Israel will introduce the speaker. The committee on arrangements is composed of Mrs. D. May, Mrs. H. Land and Mrs. Charles Finkelstein.

"It was Kishineff and the Dreyfus case that made me a champion of Judaism," Mme. Pevsner states. "These outrages shocked me into a realization of the plight of the Jews. Since then I have lived for our cause."

Mme. Pevsner believes that there can never be real assimilation for the Jews in any country. The inner spirit of one people, the flower of their traditions and ideals, cannot be grafted on another, according to her view. All that can be adopted are the surface manners and superficial traits.

While her message is especially for the women her lecture will deal with a question that will be of particular interest to the men as well.

NEW HANOVER DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION RETURN

J. O. Carr, Esq., of This City Was Named Elector-at-Large.

Delegates from New Hanover county to the State convention at Raleigh have returned. Among the local men honored by the convention was J. O. Carr, Esq., who was named elector-at-large; Major W. H. Bernard was elected a member of the State Democratic executive committee, succeeding Major Joseph W. Little, who by reason of his candidacy for Congress from the Sixth district, did not stand for re-election.

Delegates from the Sixth district to the National convention were elected as follows: F. H. Stedman and Bayard Clark, regulars; T. A. Lyon and G. B. Patterson, alternates.

Those who attended the convention from this city included: Hon. John D. Bellamy, Senator W. B. Cooper, Col. Walker Taylor, Messrs. Joseph W. Little, J. O. Carr, H. C. McQueen and C. C. Cashwell.

BURGLARY CASE HAS BEEN INDEFINITELY POSTPONED

Laurence Swinson, Colored, Will Have Hearing in Near Future.

In order that all the facts may be fully developed in connection with the burglary charges preferred against Laurence Swinson, colored, to five of which he has confessed, it was decided yesterday to postpone indefinitely the preliminary hearing in the case which was set for yesterday morning by Justice George Harriss.

County Officer H. Mack Godwin, who has been working up the cases against the negro, is continuing his work on every clue calculated to shed light as to just how many burglaries Swinson was connected with. As Superior court will not convene for a week yet, there is no hurry about having the preliminary hearings, especially in view of the fact that the negro has confessed, according to the officers, to five of the burglary charges.

His Mother Dead.

The Whiteville News-Reporter of this week has the following: "Mrs. Maridda Huggins, widow of the late W. J. Huggins, died at the home of her son Mr. E. W. Huggins, at Raeford, and her remains were brought to Western Prong Baptist church for burial on last Wednesday. Mrs. Huggins was in her 71st year and had spent a useful life in the communities where she had lived the three score and ten. She leaves three sons, Messrs. M. C., E. W. and W. E. Huggins. There are two daughters, Mesdames Ellis and Allice Duncan. Mr. M. C. Huggins came from Wilmington to attend the funeral of his mother, and stopped over in Whiteville where he has many friends."

SCHAEFFER HOLDS MEETING

Conducts Service for School Children at Tabernacle and Lectures on the Subject of "Kites."

A crowd of 1,000 or more school children laughed, shouted and sang with Rev. Charles T. Schaeffer, director of Young People's Work for the Chapman-Alexander party, yesterday afternoon for more than an hour at the Tabernacle, when the speaker gave one of his characteristic object lectures on the subject, of "Kites." Without doubt it is one of the largest audiences of children that has ever occupied the big auditorium, while there was quite a sprinkling of older folks, including many of the teachers from public and private schools, who appeared to enjoy the speaker's unique methods of instilling moral truths no less than the children.

One of the remarkable facts brought out was that not only practically all the boys in the audience had made a kite, but more than half the hundreds of girls had likewise done so, if the testimony of their lifted hands in response to the lecturer's question is to be believed.

Mr. Schaeffer's lecture was an highly admirable object lesson on the essentials of intellectual power, will power and heart power, each of which was designated as one of the sticks of the kite, which he proceeded to manufacture in the presence of the children. With each process he instilled the thought in the minds of the children that just as the kite wouldn't mount very high if a stick should be left out, neither would they get very successfully along life's journey if they disregarded any one of the above essentials.

The four wings to the kite he called home, work, school, and church, and declared they are just as important and necessary for the boy and girl as they are for the kite.

AGED CLEMSON TEACHER DEAD

Brother of Mr. J. H. Hardin Was Chemist of Note—Confederate Veteran —Life of Usefulness.

Many Wilmington friends learned with deep regret of the passing of Col. Mark Bernard Hardin, brother of Mr. J. H. Hardin, of this city, who passed away Wednesday night at his home at Clemson college after an illness of five months at the age of 78. He was a native of this State, a graduate of the Virginia Military Institute before the War Between the States, served gallantly in the Confederate army as a colonel of cavalry, was friend and colleague of Stonewall Jackson at the V. M. I., where Colonel Hardin taught for a number of years. He was a chemist and teacher of note.

The following is from a dispatch to yesterday's Columbia State from Clemson College:

"For some years he was a chemist in New York city, but came to South Carolina about 1890 and was elected the first professor of chemistry of Clemson colege. In this position he served until about five years ago, when he resigned because of enfeebling health. During these years he was also director of the chemistry department and State chemist; he was also acting president of the college and several times the presidency was urged upon him but he would not give up his profession to undertake new work.

"After his resignation the board of trustees at once elected him professor emeritus and vice president. During his quarter century of service at Clemson colege he was known and honored as a scientist of distinction, a teacher of unusual force, a gentleman of highest honor and a Christian of purest life. Hundreds of young men sat under his instruction, practically all who passed beyond freshman class having been his pupils and beneficiaries.

"Funeral services will be conducted at 11 o'clock Friday morning at Holy Trinity church, of which he was a devoted member from its foundation, and burial will be at historic Old Stone church, where lies Mrs. Hardin, who died 15 years ago.

"Four sons and four daughters survive him: Dr. Laurie Hardin, of Washington, D. C.; Will Hardin, of New Orleans, La.; George H. Hardin, and Mark B. Hardin, of New York; Mrs. C. C. McDonnel, of Washington; Mrs. Edgeworth M. Blythe, of Greenville; Mrs. J. W. Gantt and Mrs. T. E. Keitt, of Clemson College."

OPEN AIR SERVICE TONIGHT

Adjutant Yates, of Salvation Army, to Attend the Meetings.

The local corps of the Salvation Army, Adjutant and Mrs. Yates in charge, will hold their usual open-air service at the corner of Front and Princess street tonight at 7:30 o'clock to which the public is invited. These open-air meetings are both interesting and helpful and are attended by large congregations. Christian people are especially invited to come and take part in the service. At 8:15 o'clock in the Salvation Army hall, Front and Dock streets, there will be a song and praise service to which the public is also invited.

Sunday morning at 11 a. m. there wil be a Sunday school service to which all children and especially those not attending other Sunday schools are invited. There will be no afternoon or night service, owing to the Chapman-Alexander meetings in the Tabernacle.

KILLED BY TRAIN

Wilmington Relatives of Mr. Arthur Weller Receive Distressing News.

Wilmington relatives yesterday received the distressing news of the death of Mr. Arthur Weller, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Weller, formerly of Cincinnati, but now of Oak Harbor, Ohio, and a grandson of the lamented Mr. B. G. Worth, of Wilmington.

Mr. Weller was killed as the result of being struck by a train at his home about 7 o'clock Thursday evening while standing by the track, though no further particulars were given in the telegram. Mr. Weller was known by a number of Wilmington people, he having visited here on more than one occasion while his grandfather was alive. He leaves his wife and one or more children; also his parents, who have the sympathy of many Wilmington friends in their bereavement.

BUYS CHARLOTTE FACTORY

Mr. E. W. Fuller Also Owns Mattress Factory Here.

Mr. E. W. Fuller, who for the past several years has conducted the business of the Hanover Mattress Company, Queen and Surry streets, has purchased the Piedmont Mattress Company's plant in Charlotte, and will leave here the early part of next week to take charge.

Mr. Fuller announced yesterday that he had not yet decided just what his future plans will be with reference to the plant at Queen and Surry streets, but states that it will be operated until the stock gives out, and if business warrants it, he may continue to operate it in connection with his larger plant at Charlotte.

The girl with a clear skin wins

If you, too, are embarrassed by a pimply, blotchy, unsightly complexion, just try

Resinol Soap

regularly for a week and see if it does not make a blessed difference in your skin. In severe cases a little Resinol Ointment should also be used. Resinol Soap helps to make red, rough hands and arms soft and white, and to keep the hair healthy and free from dandruff. Contains no free alkali.

Resinol Soap and Ointment heal eczema and similar skin-eruptions and usually stop itching instantly.

Who Deposits Your Dollars?

It seems strange that some people will insist upon contributing to the growing wealth of everybody but themselves. Somebody is paying you, and you are paying the other fellow. The other fellow is likely running a bank account, and accumulating a certain portion of every dollar you pay.

Where Do You Come In?

Why not save and deposit a portion of your dollars for yourself? Open an account with this bank—any amount will do, to start with.

"OLD AND STRONG"

THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

COR. FRONT AND PRINCESS STREETS.

$ 100,000.00 Capital
$ 300,000.00 Surplus
$2,800,000.00 Resources

Large resources, thorough organization, complete system, conservative management and careful supervision on the part of our officers to the end that depositors may receive uniform safety, courtesy and consideration, are the factors which have contributed to the growth of this institution—now the largest savings bank in North Carolina.

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company

110 PRINCESS STREET.

"Safety First"

Special Sale

Beginning this week, special prices on the following standard goods:—

1000 barrels Best Flour.
1000 bags Rice (all grades).
500 lbs. Paris Green.
100 barrels Mullets.
Extra Fancy Barbadoes Molasses, in Puncheons and Barrels.
Nutriline Horse and Mule Feed.
Momyik Cow Feed.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

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Wise People Look Ahead

Eye-future depends largely upon the care bestowed at present.

People who know avail themselves of our expert service, thus comfort and preservation of the eyesight follow as cause and effect.

Spectacles or Eye Glasses fitted to your eyes for $1.00 and up.

EYES EXAMINED FREE

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MASONIC TEMPLE.

Practical and Serviceable

House Dresses, Bungalow Aprons, Dainty Kimonos and Dressing Sacques,

All Attractively Priced

Some, of course, are more elaborate in design than others, but all are desirable and becoming. Many are in quiet, conservative patterns, while some are in the brilliant-hued, richly-designed oriental patterns desired by hosts of women. On some the trimmings are wonderfully elaborate, while others are so daintily simple as to be almost severely plain.

The range of materials is broad, embracing silks, muslins, swisses and every other available fabric—some are very sheer, others heavier and firmer of texture. The workmanship of each is particularly good, which augurs well for future satisfaction.

And the price-range is broad, starting at 48c, for which price an exceedingly pretty and charming Bungalow Dress may be had, and winding up at $12.50, for the very acme of kimono elegance.

Bungalow Aprons and House Dresses	Voile and Lingeree Street Dresses	
Well made Bungalow Aprons of Percales, Ginghams and Chambreys in full range of attractive styles. Some are really one piece dresses. All fast colored material at **48¢**	Beautiful Voile Street Dresses in Smart Combination of Colors at **$1.98, $2.50** and up to **$5.00**	Long Crepe Kimonos, nice assortment of fancy and plain colors, all cut full width, at .....**98¢**
Fast colored Gingham House Dresses, Medium and Light Shades; all sizes up to 54 in Bust, at .....**98¢**	Lawn Dresses in Blue and Black Stripes; very neat for street or morning dresses; Special value at .....**98¢**	Better Grade Kimonos of Genuine Serpentine Crepe; nicely trimmed, and made in all the newest effects, at **$1.48** and up ta...**$2.50**
Percale House Dresses; Light and Dark Colors, at ...**98¢**	Figured Crepe Street Dresses, $1.50 value at .....**98¢**	Silk Crepe Kimonos in all the attractive shades, Lace trimmed, at **$5.95**
Finest Gingham House Dresses at ...**$1.48** and **$1.98**		Pongee Silk Kimonas, Real Jap Designs, at **$4.50**
		Crepe De Chine and Satin Kimonos, **$8575** to **$12.50**

BELK-WILLIAMS CO.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. L. D. Latta, of Winter Park, is attending the Women's Presbyterial at Kenansville this week.

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The Epworth League of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the church.

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Miss Isabel Arnold, of Elkins, W. Va., is the guest of Miss Eliza Murphy at the latter's residence, No. 115 South Third street.

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Mrs. J. D. Callahan, of St. Paul's, is in the city for a short visit to her sister, Mrs. J. J. Loughlin, No. 513 South Front street.

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Mr. Charles M. Alexander will conduct the song service at the 11 o'clock service tomorrow morning at the First Baptist church.

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Mrs. H. B. Sedberry, of Bladenboro, is here on a short visit to friends and relatives, and also to attend the Chapman-Alexander meetings.

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Misses Mary and Ruth Willoughby, of Red Springs, are visiting their mother, Mrs. J. E. Willoughby, for a few days at the Hotel Wilmington.

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More than 75 high school girls are expected to attend the progressive rook party which will be given them at the Y. W. C. A. this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

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Inadvertently the name of Mrs. G. Herbert Smith was omitted from the list of those participating in the mixed foursome golf tournament Thursday afternoon at the Cape Fear Country Club in yesterday's Star.

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The Summer Recreation Club of the Young Women's Christian Association will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the association building. Matters of importance in connection with plans for the work this summer will come up for discussion.

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A "Bacon Bat" will be given this evening at the Y. W. C. A. for the 8 to 9 and the 6:15 gymnasium classes by the 5 to 6 o'clock class. The members of the two classes named will leave the building at 5 o'clock for a hike. Upon their return supper will be prepared for them over a camp-fire by their hosts.

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A meeting of the Peace Institute girls will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church for the purpose of organizing a Southeastern chapter of the Alumnae Association of the Institute. Every one who has ever attended Peace Institute is urged to be present this afternoon, as officers will be elected at this meeting.

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MRS. W. M. CREASY ADDRESSES WOMAN'S CLUB OF WALLACE

Wallace, N. C., April 28.—The Woman's Club held a social meeting at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Carter Monday evening. The feature of the occasion was a splendid address by Mrs. W. M. Creasy, of Wilmington, secretary of the Ninth district of the women's club Federation. At the door the members were welcomed by Mrs. N. H. Carter,, hostesses, and shown into the spacious parlor. Mrs. Creasy was introduced to her audience by the club president, Mrs. J. W. Carroll. Her subject was "The Whys and Wherefores of Club Work," which she handled most ably and forcefully. In her own delightful and intensely interesting way she told of the great work being done and to be done by the Woman's Club. Her hearers were made to feel and realize as never before that the Woman's Club is in truth an absolute necessity, an essential part of the social and civic equipment of every city or town. All present declared it a rare, unusual treat to have heard this gifted woman, who truly spoke herself into the hearts of her audience.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The continued dry spell is causing serious concern to farmers and truckers in the vicinity of Wilmington and unless there is rain soon, the early crops will be cut short very materially. Rain has been reported in many of the nearby cities and towns.

—Members of the fire department were called out last night shortly before 7 o'clock to extinguish a small roof blaze at the residence of Mr. Ed Taylor, No. 407 South Front street. The fire was easily put out with chemicals. The alarm was turned in from Box No. 45.

—Lumberton Robesonian: "Capt. Haywood Clark, fo Wilmington, candidate for Secretary of State, was a Lumberton visitor Tuesday. Captain Clark has been a railroad conductor for many years. He has many friends here who made his stay pleasant, no doubt. When asked by a gentleman where his home was Mr. Clark remarked, 'Wilmington at present, Raleigh after January 1st'."

—Chief of Police N. J. Williams has received word from Port Norfolk, Va., that Lee Summerlin, age 16 and Riley Keneu, age 13, both of Wilmington, are being held in the county jail there pending the receipt of instructions from the parents of the boys in this city. The boys were picked up by a police officer. The father of the Summerlin boy lives at Delgado but stated yesterday he was unable to send for his boy.

BOY SCOUTS PLAY BALL

Troop No. 1 Victorious Over Troop No. 10 at Hilton Yesterday.

Troop No. 1 and Troop No. 10 of the Boy Scouts had a game of baseball at Hilton yesterday afternoon that was joined in enthusiastically by the youngsters and resulted in th eformer team winning by the rather big score of 24 to 5 for their opponents. The pitching of Ek and Green for Troop No. 1 kept their opponents guessing and the latter were only able to land three balls in the outfield.

Ek, Green and McEachern were the batteries for Troop No. 1 while Holden, Farmer and Padgett looked after the interests of Troop No. 10.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday in the office of the Register of Deeds: Manhattan Company to John E. Johnson and wife, for $50 and other considerations, lot on north side of the Castle street, 132 feet east of Sixteenth, 13 by 100 feet in size; Thomas L. Sheiden and wife to J. S. Brown, J. A. Orrell and D. P. High, trustees, for $100 and other considerations, lot at Winter Park Gardens.

Enjoy one of the usual sea trips. Steamer Wilmington leaves Sunday 10:00 A. M.
(Advertisement).

SHAKESPEARE ENTERTAINMENT

And Tercentenary Celebration is Held by Members of North Carolina Sorosis on Elaborate Scale.

The tercentenary of the great English playwright and poet was fittingly celebrated yesterday afternoon, when under the auspices of the Literature Department of North Carolina Sorosis an elaborate Shakespearean entertainment was presented by the members of the organization before a large audience in the Club Rooms.

The processional of famous women characters created by the Bard of Avon was directed by Mrs. M. J. Dauer, who introduced each character as the lady representing the particular character marched in, and recited some identifying quotation as she passed.

The rooms were prettily decorated for the occasion with old prints of scenes from rural England and Stratford-on-Avon, as well as a number of Shakespeare himself at various ages, and included a beautiful painting of Stratford which was presented to the club by Mrs. J. G. Barrentine, who sent it from Washington, D. C., specially for the occasion.

The roles of the most noted of women character in Shakespeare's tragedies and comedies were taken by the members of the club as follows: "Juliette," Miss Bessie Price; "Cordelia," Mrs. H. C. Bear; "Cleopatra," Mrs. William H. French; "Catherine of Aragon," Mrs. Schiller; "Beatrice," Mrs. L. B. Sasser; "Portia," (Julius Caesar), Mrs. Herbert McClammy; "Lady Macbeth," Miss Margaret Gibson; "Portia," (Merchant of Venice), Miss Flora Wessell; "Rosalind," Mrs. Adolph Goodman; "Imogene," Mrs. Murray Thompson; "Viola," Mrs. M. G. Sanders; "Katherine," (Taming of the Shrew), Mrs. Jno. B. Cranmer; "Isabelle," Mrs. J. M. Solky; "Desdemona," Miss Alice Sawyer; "Perdita," Mrs. R. L. Cobb; and "Miranda," Mrs. W. T. Bannerman.

Musical features of the entertainment included the song from Cymbeline entitled, "Hark! Hark! The Lark," by Miss Carrie Bowen; a duet from "As You Like It," entitled, "It Was a Lover and His Lass," by Mrs. Boylan and Miss Post; and a selection, "Under the Greenwood Tree," from the same play which was attractively rendered by a sextette composed of Mrs. George Boylan, Mrs. E. K. Bryan, Miss Carrie Bowen, Miss Katie Foard, Miss Julia Post and Mrs. Merritt. An additional feature of the entertainment was a fine address on the life of Shakespeare by Mrs. Richard Price.

In connection with the other features of the celebration a tree was planted in front of the club as a memorial to Shakespeare. Miss Margaret Gibson, president of Sorisis and Mrs. E. K. Bryan both made short and appropriate addresses at this event. Following the entertainment delicious refreshments were served to the members and their guests.

Th various committees in charge were as follows: Decorations, Mrs. John B. Cranmer, Mrs. Aubrey Parsley, Miss Elizabeth McKoy, Miss Alice Sawyer, and Miss Elise Kidder; refreshments, Mrs. L. B. Sasser, Mrs. Hugh MacRae, Mrs. Solomon and Mrs. E. C. Gregg.

The committee of the Literature Department in general charge of the programme included Mrs. E. K. Bryan, chairman; Mrs. M. J. Dauer and Mrs. Richard Price.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Rev. J. A. Clark, pastor of the Winter Park Baptist church, is attending the union meeting at Centerville Baptist church.

—Rev. W. V. McRae, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, has returned from Raleigh, where he attended a meeting of laymen early in the week.

—Rev. J. R. Green, pastor of the Jacksonville Baptist church, was in the city yesterday en route to the union meeting at Centerville Baptist church.

—Among the North Carolina arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday were: Messrs. R. A. Simmons, Charlotte; A. C. Johnson, Hamlet; Henry A. Edgerton, Clinton; Paul Chatham, Charlotte.

—Mr. G. E. Leftwich left last evening on the steamer A. P. Hurt for Kelley's on the upper Capt Fear river to attend the Baptist Union Meeting to be held today and tomorrow at Centerville Baptist church.

—Among the arrivals at The Orton yesterday were: D. W. Davis, Goldsboro; J. E. Dye, Charlotte; J. F. Alexander, Charlotte; O. C. Wright, Clinton; R. E. Powell, Whiteville; E. J. Hill, Warsaw; H. L. Lyon, Whiteville; A. T. Clarke, Bolton, and H. C. Selby, Wilson.

—The many friends of Mr. John Ferguson Harris, Jr., will be interested in learning that he left this week for Brookfield Center, Conn., where he will study vocal music under the celebrated Herbert Wilbur Greene. Mr. Harris possesses a splendid basso voice and has appeared on many public occasions in this city.

—Yesterday's arrivals at The Orton included Col. H. B. Springs, Georgetown, S. C.; St. Julian L. Springs, Lake Waccamaw; W. K. McKee, Newbern; R. G. Blanton, Atlanta; A. K. Bruce, Fort Caswell; E. A. Hawes, Jr., J. R. Hawes, Atkinson; D. W. Davis, Goldsboro; I. C. Wright, Clinton; Judge F. A. Daniels, Goldsboro; Solicitor H. L. Lyon and R. E. Powell, Whiteville; Capt. J. F. Bussells, Southport; A. T. Clark, Bolton, and Capt. J. R. D. Mathewson, Brown's Landing.

INTERURBAN BASEBALL TODAY

Cubs Will Meet East Wilmington and Red Sox Will Play Winter Park.

The Cubs and East Wilmington of the Interurban League will meet at East Wilmington this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for a game that promises plenty of real sport as each of these teams have an average of 1,000 per cent. in games won this season and it will be a battle royal for the first place. Van Landingham will be the umpire for the game.

The Red Sox and Winter Park teams of the same league will play at Winter Park and this game promises to be as ful of interest as the other as each of the teams will be on its mettle to keep out of the cellar position. McNamara will be the umpire.

THEATRICAL

Today the Bijou makes the most pretentious offering in the way of a war news film that has yet found its way from the firing lines of the great European battles, a two-reel production, "The DareDevils of War," filmed by the Universal Animated Cameraman right with the armies of Germany and the Allies, a feature that has played to standing room only all over the country in the biggest cities.

We don't care what war picture you have seen, you've never in all your life seen such a magnificent two-reel war production as "The Dare Devils of War." This picture shows Europe's soldiers in the most marvelous feats of horsemanship known to mankind. Sliding down almost perpendicular mountainsides, the launching of a torpedo right in plain sight, actually seeing it hit a battleship—naval maneuvres, battleship deck action, and scores of other scenes in all the most superb, brilliant, crystal clear photography ever presented on any screen. It's highly sensational, it's luring, it's a smash from start to finish. You will gasp at

LILLIAN WALKER
Starring in "Green Stockings," at the Royal Today.

the swiftly passing marvels of all the military geniuses of Europe, especially now, while the heat of battle is raging on every front.

Another big feature today—to relieve the tension, is a great two-reel Pathe comedy feature, "Max Hits the High Spots," starring that great stage comedian, Max Linder, with a superb supporting cast.

Comedy Day at Grand.

Saturday is generally known as comedy day at the Grand, and its patrons are never far wrong in expecting something of the very biggest kind in the comedy line at that theatre every Saturday.

Today is no exception, as the management has booked that great two-reel Keystone smash, "Only a Messenger Boy," starring that inimitable and world-famous Keystone star, Ford Sterling, supported by a big bunch of the other Keystones nuts and nutettes. "Only a Mesdenger Boy" is a scream from the first to the last. Between Ford and his "jitney" they make things lively for the town in which they reside, and you won't stop laughing from

RICHARD C. TRAVERS
(Sarring With Ruth Stonehouse in "The Wood Nymph," at the Grand Today.

the first of the first reel until the last flash of the second reel.

There's another rare treat on today's bill too. It's a superb two-reel Essanay drama, "The Wood Nymph," starring Richard C. Travers and Ruth Stonehouse, two of the most famous and popular photoplay stars now playing in big costly features. Miss Stonehouse, always beautiful and alluring, is more so in the title role as the "wood numph" and must be seen to be appreciated. Handsome Richard C. Travers plays a remarkably strong role opposite her, in this beautiful and spectacular love romance.

Lillian Walker at Royal.

Lillian Walker, that superb comedienne of the Vitagraph Company, comes to the Royal today at the head of a tremendous all-star cast presenting the elaborate picturization of that great stage success, "Green Stockings," a Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature, which is destined to take its place among the greatest comedies yet produced, by the same organization that produced "The Dust of Egypt," "The Island of Regeneration" and other big successes seen in the past at the Royal.

The story of "Green Stockings" is replete with humorous and appealing situations, well portrayed by the capable Vitagraph cast of stars. It is a comedy of exceptional qualities and its subtle humor makes it one of the best comedies that has yet been filmed. It is doubly attractive because the leading characters are portrayed by such distinguished players as Lillian Walker, Louise Beaudet, Frank Currier, Adele DeGarde, Lillian Burns, Charles Wellesley, Denton Vane, John T. Kelley and Charles Brown.

FINE CATCH OF TROUT

Messrs. Warren and Merritt Return From Successful Fishing Trip.

"Somewhere out of the corporate limits of Wilmington," exact location deponent sayeth not, Messrs. W. E. Merritt and R. F. Warren betook themselves yesterday morning and in four hours fine angling brought back to the city last evening with them 35 as fine fresh-water trout as have been displayed by any of the local Isaak Waltons in a twelvemonth. They expect to go again soon, hence their reticence on the location. They used Buel spinner bobs and the largest of the trout weighed 6 1-2 pounds, ranging from that size on down to one and a half pounds. And it was not a particularly good day for fishing either.

MRS. SAMUEL STEEL DEAD

Fayetteville Woman Dies of Blood Poisoning From Pin Scratch.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Fayetteville, N. C., April 28.—From blood poisoning caused by a pin scratch, Mrs. Samuel Steel, 70 years of age, died at her home on Elm street here yesterday. Several weeks ago Mrs. Steel accidentally scratchd her hand with a pin and blood poisoning followed. She was among the oldest and most honored women of Fayetteville. She leaves a son, John A. Steel, and three daughter, Miss Jennie Steel, Mrs. Fred J. Crews and Mrs. Emma Vick, all being residents of this city.

The funeral services were conducted from the Hay Street Methodist church at 5 o'clock this afternoon by the pastor, Rev. W. R. Royall.

To Hold Exhibit

Beginning at 9 o'clock this morning an exhibition of the needle work and industrial work of the pupils of the various colored schools of the county will be held at the Williston colored school. The public is invited to attend.

Trip to Sea.

Steamer Wilmington leaves 10 o'clock Sunday. Fare round trip 50c.
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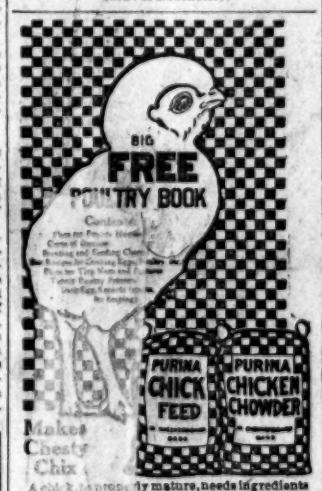

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON SHOWS STRENGTH

Market Undergoes an Early Advance But Prices Later Ease Off—Close Was Steady But Unsettled.

New York, April 28.—A more optimistic view of international politics and relatively firm cables seemed responsible for an early advance in the cotton market, but after selling to 12.14 for July, prices eased off to 12.07 and that position at the close was steady one point higher to 3 points lower.

The market here opened steady at an advance of 2 to 5 points. Scattering near month liquidation offerings were readily absorbed. Other spot advices from the South helped the advance which carried May up to 11.93 October to 12.31 and December to 12.46 or about 5 to 8 points net higher, during the middle of the morning. The market turned easier during the afternoon under realizing. May sold off to 11.91 in the late trading while October declined to 12.22 and the close was at practicaly the low point of the day. A private crop report issued around midday indicated an increase of only 9.5 increase in acreage, but failed to create any buying power.

Closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	11.95	11.98	11.91	11.93
July	12.11	12.14	12.07	12.09
October	12.29	12.31	12.22	12.23
December	12.46	1246	1239	12.38
January	12.51	12.54	12.44	12.44

Spot steady; middling uplands 12.20; no sales.

PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling 11.88; receipts 1,897; sales 2,530; stock 295,086.

Galveston—Middling 12.35; receipts 5,532; exports 6,547; sales 1,060; stock 283,253.

Mobile—Middling 11.81; receipts 246; sales 75; stock 37,092.

Savannah—Middling 11.88; receipts 2,245; sales 882; stock 144,074.

Charleston—Middling 11¾; receipts 324; stock 66,824.

Wilmington—Middling 11¾; receipts 1,015; stock 63,924.

Texas City—Receipts 1,120.

Norfolk—Middling 11.88; receipts 2,052; sales 709; stock 97,161.

Baltimore—Receipts 172; stock 6,522.

Boston—Middling 12.15; receipts 59; exports 4,532; stock 8,137.

Philadelphia—Middling 12.45; stock 2,311.

New York—Middling 12.20; exports 4,826; stock 244,681.

Minor Ports—Receipts 3,326; exports 1,000; stock 29,484.

Total today—Receipts 17,988; exports 17,305; stock 1,268,552.

Total for week—Receipts 104,652; exports 140,308.

Total for season—Receipts 6,512,916; exports 4,435,180.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling 12.25; receipts 3,269; shipments 2,262; sales 1,284; stock 95,266.

Memphis—Middling 12.00; receipts 1,606; shipments 7,247; sales 850; stock 182,456.

Augusta—Middling 11.75; receipts 292; shipments 438; sales 1,040; stock 119,582.

St. Louis—Middling 12.00; receipts 6,336; shipments 6,320; stock 19,822.

Cincinnati—Receipts 1,630; shipments 8,318; stock 13,121.

Little Rock—Middling 12.25; receipts 155; shipments 202; sales 202; stock 30,253.

Dallas—Middling 11.85.

Montgomery—Middling 11.62; sales 2,385.

Total today—Receipts 13,278; shipments 19,682; stock 460,500.

WESTER'S WEEKLY STATEMENT.

Comparisons are to actual dates, not close of corresponding weeks. In thousands bales:

In sight for week, 129.

In sight same seven days last year, 182.

In sight for the month, 526.

In sight same date last year, 869.

In sight for season, 11,103.

In sight same date last year, 14,356.

Port receipts for season, 6,513.

Port receipts same date last year, 10,083.

Overland to mills and Canada for season, 1,050.

Overland to mills and Canada same date last year, 1,040.

Southern mill takings for season, 3,169.

Southern mill takings same date last year, 2,583.

Interior stocks in excess of August 1st, 371.

Interior stocks last year, 649.

Foreign exports for week, 140.

Foreign exports same seven days last year, 171.

Foreign exports for season, 4,435.

Foreign exports same date last year, 7,135.

Northern spinners' takings and Canada for week, 68.

Northern spinners' takings same seven days last year, 54.

Northern spinners takings for season, 2,421.

Northern spinners' takings to same date last year, 2,735.

Statement of World's Visible Supply.

Total visible this week, 5,203.

Total visible last week, 5,322.

Total visible same date last year, 7,340.

Of this the total American this week, 555.

Total American last week, 3,628.

Total American last year, 5,376.

All other kinds this week, 1,648.

All other kinds last week, 1,684.

All other kinds last year, 1,864.

Visible in the United States this week 2,077.

Visible in the United States this date last year, 2,127.

Visible in other countries this week, [illegible].

Visible in other countries this date last year, 5,113.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 28.—Spot cotton firm; good middling 8.12; middling 7.94; low middling 7.70. Sales 8,000; for speculation and export 1,000; receipts 15,000.

Futures steady: April 7.75; April and May 7.72; May and June 7.71; June and July 7.69; July and August 7.67½; August and September 7.62½; September and October 7.55; October and November 7.51; November and December and December and January 7.44; January and February 7.42; February and March 7.42; March and April 7.42½; April and May 7.42½.

WEEKS' REVIEW OF COTTON

Market More Active With Undertone Generally Steady—Price Movement Comparatively Narrow

New York, April 28.—The cotton market has been rather more active during the past week and has shown a generally stead undertone. The price movement, however, has been comparatively narrow and much of the business has evidently originated in the evening-up of near month commitments incident to the circulation of the first May notices. There was a good deal of scattering May liquidation right after the holidays but trade interests were active buyers of both May and June at comparatively small discounts as compared with later deliveries and the notices were estimated at less than 2,000 bales.

With the differences between May and July considered less than a normal carrying charge, the prompt absorption of the near month served to inspire a more bullish view of the Southern spot situation and there was a good deal of scattered covering as well as trade buying. After notices were out of the way, and the near month interest had been considerably reduced business tapered off, and fluctuations later in the week were somewhat irrgular. July contracts closed tonight at 12.08 compared with 12.14, the high point of the week, and 11.91 the low point of Monday morning. Local warehouse stocks have shown a further decrease during the week, and the small amount of cotton tendered on May contracts has served to color claims that much of the supply held here is ear-marked for spinners or exporters. Two private crop reports have been issued, one pointing to an increase of 8.9 and the other to 5.9 per cent. in acreage. These indicate a smaller increase than talked of last winter but are given subject to corrects later, and the talk around the ring here has reflected litle change of sentiment with reference to either new crop or export prospects. Some scattering complaints have been received of low temperatures and insufficient moisture in the Eastern belt, but more advices indicate that the soil has been well prepared and traders are waiting for May weather conditions to give them a better line on the outlook. Meanwhile, rather a more optimistic view of the international politics has developed and part of the recent buying has probably represented covering by people who sold on political apprehensions before the holidays.

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List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

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Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 3,288 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.) 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Ellen Little, 807 tons, Holden, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily, by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, April 28.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nominal.

ROSIN—Nominal.

TAR—$1.90-9c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.25, $3.25, $2.25.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 44½c.; rosin, $3.00; tar, $1.70-8c.; crude turpentine, $3.00, $3.00, $1.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine .. ..(—)

Rosin .. ..(—)

Tar 22

Crude Turpentine .. ..(—)

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 10 casks; rosin, 43 barrels; tar, 87 barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market — 11¼c. Quotations, same day last year, 9¾c.

Receipts—1,009 bales; same day last year, 808 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date 175,734 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 257,500 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, April 28, 1916.

Atlantic Coast Line—916 bales cotton; 16 barrels tar.

Seaboard Air Line—93 bales cotton.

River—6 barrels tar.

Total—1,009 bales cotton; 22 barrels tar.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, April 28.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 50c per bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.00.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 9c. to 11c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 8@10c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 17c.; first class, 28c.

HIDES—Green salt, 13c. to 14c.; dry, flint, 17@20c per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 18c.; sides and shoulders, 14c. to 15c. per pound, good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 50c. to 55c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head. Geese, 55c to 60c per head. Ducks, 25c to 50c owing to quality. Turkeys, 18c per lb., alive.; 20c to 22c dressed.

EGGS—18c. and 19c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, April 28.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 70c; No. 1 machine picked, 65c per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Market steady; No. 1, small, machine picked, 80c; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, April 28.—Raw sugar firm; centrifugal 96 test 6.46; molasses 5.69 refined firm.

Coffee—Spot steady; Rio 7s, 9¾; Santos 4s, 10½.

Butter—Firm.

Cheese—Irregular.

STOCKS ARE AGAIN STRONG

Rail Shares and Other Investment Issues Add to Previous Gains—Foreign Outlook Better.

New York, April 28.—The same forces that contributed so appreciably to yesterday's strong and active market were again in evidence today. Railroad shares and other investment stocks added variably to their gains on further remarkable statements of earnings. The foreign outlook, apart from the Irish revolt, was viewed as encouraging.

Reading was again dominant among the rails, adding two points to its substantial advance of the preceding session, while Union Pacific, Atchison, St. Paul, New York Central and some of the bituminous shares rose a point or more. Gains in the war group showed the irregular range of 1 to 4 points, with 10 1-2 for Bethlehem Steel. Coppers, Oils, Motors, Sugars and Fertilivers improved 1 to 3 points while a half score of miscellaneous stocks, included American tobacco and American Coal products, were lifted 3 to 5 points.

United States Steel scored only a slight gain at the outset, manifesting restraint thereafter, the theory being relative sluggishness resulted from foreign liquidation.

The last hour was enlivened by an urgent demand for Mercantile Marine, the preferred rising 3 3-8 to 85. The common rose 7-8 to 24 1-4. There was no news to account for the uprush in these stocks, which was scored at the expense of most other leading issues, some of which yielded the greater part of their gains of the forenoon. Total sales, 690,000 shares.

For March, Norfolk & Western reported a net gain of $1,132,000; Northern Pacific, $818,000; Lackawanna, $761,000, and Chesapeake & Ohio, $350,000.

Bonds were firm. Total sales par value, $2,580,000. United States bonds unchanged on call.

New York Stock List.

Allis Chalmers	26⅝
American Beet Sugar	68⅝
American Can	56
American Car & Foundry	59⅛
American Cotton Oil	53
American Locomotive	70¼
American Smelting	96⅜
American Sugar	107⅝
American Tel. & Tel.	128
American Tobacco	197
Anaconda Copper	86⅛
Atchison	102
Atlantic Coast Line	108
Baldwin Locomotive	88⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	85⅝
Bethlehem Steel	459½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	84⅝
Canadian Pacific	167½
Central Leather	52⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio	61⅜
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	94
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry.	17⅜
Consolidated Gas	134¼
Continental Can	86
Crucible Steel	81⅛
Erie	35⅞
General Electric	163
Great Northern pfd	119⅝
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	40½
Illinois Central	101½
Interborough Consol. Corp.	17⅛
Kansas City Southern	25⅝
Lehigh Valley	78
Louisville & Nashville	124½
Liggett & Meyers	230
Lorillard Co.	190¼
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd.	10
Missouri Pacific	4¼
Mexican Petroleum	96⅝
National Lead	66
New York Central	103½
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	59
Norfolk & Western	123½
Northern Pacific	111¼
Pennsylvania	56⅜
Reading	87
Republic Iron & Steel	46⅜
Seaboard Air Line	15½
Seaboard Air Line pfd	36
Sloss Shef. Steel & Iron	52
Studebaker Corporation	129
Southern Pacific	97⅛
Southern Railway	21⅛
Southern Railway pfd	60¼
Tennessee Copper	49
Texas Company	186⅜
Texas & Pacific	10
Union Pacific	133½
United States Rubber	52⅝
United States Steel	83
United States Steel pfd	116
Utah Copper	81½
Virginia Caro. Chem.	42½
Va. Iron, Coal & Coke	51
Wabash pfd "B" Ctfs.	27¼
Western Union	92
Westinghouse Electric	57⅝
United Fruit	146
Kennecott Copper	56⅝

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., April 28.—Spanish—Farmers' stock. First quality, $1.00 per bu.; nominal.

Virginias—Farmers', stock, market steady. Fancy Jumbo, 4c. per lb.; fancy hand picked, 3¾c. per lb.; extra prime, 3½c. per lb.; prime, 3¼c. per lb.; shelling stock, 2¼c. to 3c. per lb.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, April 28.—Hogs, strong, higher; bulk 9.80 to 9.90; light 9.40 to 10.00; mixed 9.55 to 9.95; heavy 9.45 to 9.95; rough 9.45 to 9.60; pigs 7.30 to 9.15.

Cattle—Slow; native beef steers 7.85 to 9.75; stockers and feeders 5.80 to 8.60; cows and heifers 4.00 to 9.20; calves 6.25 to 9.25.

Sheep—Strong; wethers 6.65 to 9.10; ewes 5.00 to 8.90; lambs 7.25 to 11.65.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, April 28.—Beeves, firm; steers 5.30 to 8.60; bulls 5.50 to 8.50; cows 3.50 to 7.50; fancy cows 8.25.

Calves—Firm; veals 7.50 to 10.25; culls 6.50 to 7.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Steady; wooled sheep 6.00 to 8.00; common to medium unshorn lambs 10.50 to 11.00; clipped 9.15; fall clipped 10.50.

Hogs—Firm; 9.30 to 10.10; roughs 8.50 to 9.00.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, April 28.—Turpentine firm 35¾ to 37; sales 1,126; receipts 287; shipments 227; stock 7,593.

Rosin—Firm; sales 1,554; receipts 745; shipments 1,470; stock 59,842. Quote: A B, 2.75 to 2.95; C D, 3.85 to 4.00; E, 3.90 to 4.05; F, 3.95 to 4.10; G H, 4.15 to 4.20; I, 4.20; K, 4.20 to 4.30; M, 4.60; N, 4.90; WG, 5.10; WW, 5.25.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

April 28, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 53 degrees; at 8 P. M., 58 degrees; maximum, 66 degrees; minimum, 46 degrees; mean, 56 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.09 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 5 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Fair Saturday and Sunday.

The Port Calendar, April 29, 1916.

Sun rises .....5:25 A. M.
Sun sets .....6:54 P. M.
Day's length .....13 hrs. 29 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	7:34	8:04	2:31	2:46
Southport	6:37	6:13	11:49	11:57
Masonboro Inlet	5:26	6:02	11:29	11:37

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS
April 28, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P.M.
Abilene	cldy	63	44	.0
Asheville	cldy	60	40	.0
Atlanta	clear	70	44	.0
Augusta	clear	72	48	.0
Baltimore	clear	60	—	.0
Birmingham	clear	68	42	.0
Boston	raining	28	34	1.22
Charleston	cldy	68	54	.0
Charlotte	clear	66	44	.0
Chicago	clear	56	44	.0
Galveston	clear	68	58	.0
Jacksville	cldy	74	60	.0
Memphis	clear	64	48	.0
Mobile	clear	70	52	.0
Montgo'ry	clear	72	46	.0
New Orl.	pt cldy	70	54	.0
N. York	pt cldy	50	42	.08
Pittsburgh	clear	60	44	.0
Raleigh	pt cldy	68	44	.0
Savannah	raining	70	54	.02
Shreve'pt.	pt cldy	70	44	.0
St. Louis	clear	66	48	.0
Washington	clear	62	44	.0

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Reports of Crop Damage Causes Prices to Rise—Close is Weak.

Chicago, April 28.—Assertions that green bug damage had become general throughout Oklahoma and that injury from Hession fly was developing rapidly in Missouri rallied the wheat market today after an early decline. Nevertheless, prices colsed weak, at 1.13⅜ for May and 1.14¾ for July, with the market as a whole ¼c off to ⅝c up, compared with yesterday's finish.

The outcome in corn was ⅛ to ⅜@½c down; oats were unchanged to a shade lower, and provisions varying from unchanged figures to a rise of 25c.

Grain and provisions closed:

Wheat	May 1.13⅜	July	1.14⅞
Corn	May .76⅞	July	.76⅛
Oats	May .44½	July	.42⅞
Pork	May 23.75	July	23.60
Lard	May 12.55	July	12.57
Ribs	May 12.60	July	12.70

Cash Grain: Wheat—No. 2 red, 1.21½ to 1.22; No. 3 red 1.14½ to 1.18½; No. 2 hard, 1.14½ to 1.15½; No. 3 hard 1.09½ to 1.10⅝.

Corn—No. 2 yellow 77½ to 78; No. 4 yellow 74 to 75; No. 4 white 74 to 75½.

DUN'S BUSINESS REVIEW.

Best Record of Production and Distribution of Money Is Surpassed.

New York, April 28.—Dun's Review tomorrow will say:

"The best previous records of production and distribution of earnings and wages are steadily surpassed. Even after great expansion, legitimate enterprise shows continued augmentation, though various influences combine to hinder its growth. Consumptive requirements, however, are sustained in unprecedented volume and industrial facilities, while constantly improved and increased, are inadequate to handle all the work there is to be done.

"A widening discrepancy between the contracts offered and those actually closed is noted in about every leading line, many manufacturers, either through inability or disinclination to further extend commitments having turned considerable business away. That such facts appear in spite of the pronounced rise in prices is one of the most remarkable features of the times. Only in relatively few instances have the extremely high costs restricted new demands and reports of premiums for prompt shipments are by no means uncommon.

"Weekly bank clearings $3,931,216,726."

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Selling Pressure Causes Decline From Steady Early Advance.

New Orleans, April 28.—The cotton market held steady at a quiet advance today until near the close when moderate selling pressure developed. Bearish traders apparently sought to encourage week-end liquidation of long cotton. Last prices at the lowest of the day were unchanged to one point lower.

The market opened at the advance, cables being better than due while the weather map showed continued cold weather over the cotton region. No buying power of consequence developed, the demand being restricted by the growing belief in a large acreage. Early in the trading, prices were three points up and the advance was widened to 4 to 5 points by noon.

Political news was regarded as more favorable, but traders were cautious, especialy operators on the long side. Spots were quoted firm and unchanged and a good demand and limited offerings was reported but without stimulating contracts. Closed steady. Closing bids: May 11.72; July 11.95; October 12.04; December 12.17; January 12.25.

Spot cotton, firm; sales on the spot 1,660 bales, to arrive 870; middling 11.88.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, April 28.—Tenders of 1,500 barrels on May contract depressed that delivery but forward months in cotton seed oil were higher on scattered buying for long account and covering of shorts. Offerings were light. May closed three points lower while the balance of the list showed net gains of 1 to 9 points. Sales 12,200 barrels.

Market closed steady: Spot 10.60 bid; May 10.72 to 10.75; June 10.90 to 10.92; July 11.00 to 11.04, August 11.01 to 11.04; September 10.93 to 10.95; October 9.90 to 9.92; November 9.12 to 9.13; December 8.92 to 8.95.

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ORLANDO, FLA. $26.65
On sale May 15 to 19, inclusive; limited returning Midnight, June 3rd.

NEW ORLEANS, LA. $28.75
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Office of the Treasurer,
Wilmington, N. C., April 20, 1916.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared two per cent interest on the certificates of indebtedness of that company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 1st, 1916. The transfer books are closed from the 22nd day of April, 1916, to the 2nd day of May, 1916, both inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
Treasurer.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, April 28.—Mercantile paper 3 to 3¼. Sterling 60 day bills 4.73¼; demand 4.76⅝; cables 4.77. Bar silver 71¾. Mexican dollars 55. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm. Time loans easier; 60 days 3¾ to 3; 90 days 3 to 3¼; six months 3 to 3¾. Call money steady; ruling rate 2¼.

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No. 51. 8:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville; Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. 11:59 P.M. Daily.
No. 64. 5:15 A.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. 6:15 P.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Parlor car, Wilmington to Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.	Daily. No. 49. 6:05 P.M.
No. 52. 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52. 5:00 P.M. Daily.
No. 62. 3:25 P.M. Daily.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 62. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 58. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, August and Atlanta. Pullman cars between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. 12:50 P. M. Daily.
No. 59. 6:30 P.M. Tues., Thurs and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:50 A.M. Daily.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
In Effect November 15, 1915.
WINTER PARK, WRIGHTSVILLE WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS

EASTBOUND			WESTBOUND		
Leave Front and for Winter Park	Leave Front and for Wrightsville	Leave... Front and for Beach	Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington
.....	.....	.....	a6:30 A. M.	a6:15 A. M.	.....
a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a7:30 A. M.	a7:15 A. M.	.....
8:55 A. M.	8:55 A. M.	b8:55 A. M.	8:01 A. M.	7:50 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
a9:00 A. M.	a9:00 A. M.	.....	a8:41 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.
9:30 A. M.	9:30 A. M.	9:30 A. M.	9:36 A. M.	9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
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10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	11:06 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	12:36 P. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
b1:00 P. M.	b1:00 P. M.	b1:00 P. M.	02:06 P. M.	b1:55 P. M.	01:45 P. M.
a1:10 P. M.	a1:10 P. M.	a01:10 P. M.	a3:41 P. M.	a1:30 P. M.	a11:45 P. M.
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3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.	c 03:05 P. M.	.....	.....
5:30 P. M.	.....	.....	c3:50 P. M.	.....	.....
c4:10 P. M.	.....	.....	4:06 P. M.	3:55 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
4:20 P. M.	4:20 P. M.	4:20 P. M.	c4:30 P. M.	.....	.....
c4:50 P. M.	.....	.....	c5:10 P. M.	.....	.....
5:30 P. M.	5:30 P. M.	.....	5:56 P. M.	5:35 P. M.	5:25 P. M.
6:10 P. M.	6:10 P. M.	.....	6:11 P. M.	6:00 P. M.	.....
6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	a6:40 P. M.	6:51 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	.....
7:15 P. M.	7:15 P. M.	.....	7:31 P. M.	7:20 P. M.	7:15 P. M.
8:15 P. M.	8:15 P. M.	.....	8:06 P. M.	7:55 P. M.	.....
9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.	9:15 P. M.	8:56 P. M.	8:45 P. M.	.....
10:15 P. M.	10:15 P. M.	.....	10:21 P. M.	10:10 P. M.	10:00 P. M.
1:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	.....	11:56 P. M.	11:45 P. M.	.....

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Ar. Atlanta, via Ga. R. R. . .6:10 A. M.

The arrival in Atlanta is Central Time, and passengers may remain in sleepers until 7:00 A. M., by that time.

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No. 14—12:40 P. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON.

No. 20—12:10 A. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON. PASSENGERS MAY REMAIN IN SLEEPER UNTIL 7:00 A. M.

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$5,000 FUND RAISED FIGHT CLAUDE KITCHIN?

Such is Report Which Reaches Washington from Raleigh

Most of This Amount Raised Among Business Men of Wilson, According to the Report Freely Circulated.

(Special Star Telegram).

Washington, D. C., April 28.—A report was freely circulated around the Yarborough House in Raleigh yesterday that those opposed to the re-nomination of Majority Leader Claude Kitchin for another term in Congress had raised a fund of $5,000 to be used in the campaign against him. The major part of this fund, according to the rumor, was raised by business men of Wilson.

When seen today, Mr. Kitchin admitted that he had heard of the alleged fund, and said that he had received letters from some of the leading Democrats in his district advising him of the move. According to the best information obtainable here and elsewhere, the chief opposition against Mr. Kitchin originates among the business men of Wilson. They are opposing him with all their might.

Some of them object to his opposition to the shipping bill last year; some because of his failure to appoint the man some of them desired for postmaster at Wilson, and a number oppose his renomination because they declare he is not in sympathy with President Wilson's policies. Several very influential Democrats of Wilson admitted yesterday that they were very much embarrassed some months ago when there was a prospect of Mr. Wilson visiting the city which bears his name. One man declared that the large majority of the people of Wilson were in accord with the President's policies and had Wilson visited the city they would have been humiliated because of their congressman's opposition to his views.

Whether this has much to do with the opposition against the Second district congressman or not, there is no doubt that the present intention of some of Wilson's leading business men is to make a strong fight against the renomination of Claude Kitchin.

Cling W. Mitchell, Mr. Kitchin's eleventh-hour opponent, stated yesterday that he intended to make a hard fight for the place now held by Mr. Kitchin, and that he would probably canvass the district against his opponent. P. R. A.

REDMOND DEPLORES "INSANE" MOVEMENT

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bounteous their help, never have they denied Ireland's right to choose her policy for herself. That doctrine has been contested only by the very same when who today have tried to mare Ireland a cat's paw of Germany.

"In all our long and succesful struggle to obtain home rule we have been thwarted and opposed by that same section. We have won home rule not through them but in sympathy with them. This wicked move of theirs was their last blow at home rule. It was not half as much treason to the cause of the Allies and treason to the home rule.

"This atempted deadly blow at home rule carried on through this section is made more wicked, more insolent by this fact—that Germany plotted it. Germany organized it; Germany paid for it. So far as Germany's share in it is concerned it is a German invasion of Ireland as brutal, as selfish, as cynical as Germany's invasion of Belgium. Blood has been shed and if Ireland has not been reduced to the same horrors of Belgium with her starving people her massacred priests and her convents, it is not the fault of Germany."

COTTON FUTURES BILL ADDED AS AMENDMENT

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as a rider on the agricultural appropriation measure. Under the rule a little more than five hours' debate on the amendments was permitted.

Adoption of the rule was denounced by Representative Lenroot, of Wisconsin, as "gag rule." He declared the Democrats were forcing the amendments through to please the South because they knew they would not control the next Congress.

"Cotton is King," continued Mr. Lenroot, "the south is in the saddle. It is willing to destroy every safeguard of the House where cotton is concerned."

"The people want this legislation and they don't care a tinker's damn how they get it," declared Chairman Liver of the Agricultural committee in reply to Republican protests against the special rule.

BUSINESS PLACTS IN DUBLIN CLOSED

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form was a prominent figure in the disturbance. She was one of the leading sympathizers with James Larkin in the 1913 street car riots and her house was raided in January by the police who are sai dto have seized a printing press and type with which alleged pro-German literature was being printed. Her husband is said to be a Polish nobleman.

EIGHT GERMAN BOMB PLOTTERS INDICTED

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Robert Fay for the purpose of destroying at sea ammunition ships leaving this port, was illustrated by a government ordnance expert in the Federal Court here today, at the trial of Fay and his alleged co-conspirators, Walter Scholx and Paul Daeche.

ONLY AEROPLANES AND ARTILLERY ARE ACTIVE

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arms have been the means of attack by the opposing forces. The artillery bombardment has been violent both east and west of the Meuse in the Verdun region. East of the Meuse the Germans shelled the French positions between the Cote Du Poivre and Douaumont.

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These Three Means for Forwarding Our Christian Teachings Outlined by Speakers at National Laymen's Congress.

Washington, April 28.—Three means of forwarding Christian teachings in heathen countries—through education, commerce and political relations—were outlined here today by speakers at the National Congress of the Laymen's Missionary Movement.

The character of American government representatives abroad, said Amos P. Wilder, for many years consul-general in China, has created admiration and respect for American traditions and the religion taught by American missionaries.

Extension of Christianity through commercial relations was urged by A. J. Wallace, of California, who proposed a bureau of commerce in every missionary organization. This bureau, he said, would get acquainted with American shippers and dealers and develop more fully an inter-dependence between commerce and missions.

Charles D. Hurry, general secretary of the committee on friendly relations between foreign students, declared America should try to cultivate the regard and esteem of foreign students in American universities as a "matter of good business, good politics and good religion."

Dr. E. M. Poteat, president of Furman University, South Carolina, set forth the political economy principle of divine ownership of property. Distribution should be governed, he declared, by the principle that a man has no right to use for himself more than is necessary to make him the most efficient servant of God.

STATE CONVENTION SURPRISED WARREN

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Dawson, of Lenoir; E. L. Travis, of Halifax; B. B. Williams, of Warren.

Third district, T. D. Warren, of Craven; Nathan O'Berry, of Wayne; W. B. Hargett, of Jones; Ed. J. Hill, of Duplin; George L. Peterson, of Sampson.

Fourth district, R. H. Hayes, of Chatham; E. S. Abell, of Johnston; J. P. Bunn, of Nash; P. J. Olive, of Wake; D. Y. Cooper, of Vance.

Fifth district, S. M. Gattis, of Orange; Charles A. Hines, of Guilford; S. C. Brawley, of Durham; D. G. Brummitt, of Granville; John H. Vernon, of Alamance; J. W. Howell, of Person.

Sixth district, W. S. Cook, Cumberland; A. W. McLean, Robeson; Geo. H. Bellamy, Brunswick; H. L. Lyon, Columbus; J. Bayard Clark, Bladen; Wm. H. Bernard, New Hanover.

Seventh district, R. A. Morrow, of Union; W. L. Parsons, of Richmond; D. A. McDonald, of Moore; James A. Leach, R. N. Hackett, of Wilkes; W. C. Hammer, of Randolph.

Eighth district, A. S. Carson, of Alleghany; T. C. Bowie, of Ashe; A. D. Watts, of Iredell; J. A. Norwood, of Rowan; J. M. Boyette, of Stanly; J. P. Cook, of Cabarrus.

Ninth district, Edgar B. Love, of Lincoln; J. A. Bell, of Mecklenburg; R. R. Ray, of McAdenville; D. M. Buck, of Yancey; J. A. Giles, of Burke; W. C. Feimster, of Catawba.

Tenth district, J. Walter Haynes, of Buncombe; W. R. Sherill, of Jackson, J. L. C. Bird, of McDowell; Chas. A. Webb, of Buncombe; William E. Breese, Jr., of Transylvania.

GERARD ON WAY TO VISIT THE KAISER

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dicating that Germany would attempt to meet the American demands.

Because of the visit of Mr. Gerard to the emperor, officials seemed inclined tonight to believe that it would be impossible for Germany to make reply to the American note before early next week.

BERLIN PRESS REFRAINS FROM COMMENT ON SITUATION

Berlin, via London, April 28.—With James W. Gerard, the American ambassador, on his way to the German army headquarters and the leading German statesmen already there, the day passed quietly in Berlin, where no new developments occurred with regard to the American note to Germany concerning Germany's method of submarine warfare.

The newspaper today refrained from any comment on the latest developments in the situation, merely mentioning Ambassador Gerard's departure. The general situation was not referred to by the newspapers except the Tages Zeitung, which printed its usual article laying emphasis on the statement that the underwater boat is a necessity in Germany's warfare against Great Britaain.

A Berlin dispatch to the Cologne Gazette again calls attention to what it terms the hopes of Germany's enemies to bring about a breach in German-American relations. This dispatch says the press of the Entente powers is seeking untiringly to hammer the conviction into the whole world that the conditions as laid down by the American government will not be acceptable to Germany and that an effort is being made to discredit the German answer in advance, no matter what it may be.

CHAPMAN-ALTXANDER PARTY IN GOLDSBORO

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after the convention itself is but a memory.

A Great Assemblage.

Goldsboro is meeting the requirements of the occasion as host to the State Baraca-Philathea convention with that characteristic hospitality for which the city is noted. The entire State is represented in this convention, and the body as a whole is too large for its deliberations to be held in any one Assembly hall, and its several avenues of uplifting work are too various to permit of common conference, so that the several secretaries of the different conferences now going on in separate assembly halls will have weeks of work ahead of them after the convention adjourns before they will have their reports ready for publication.

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WILMINGTON PRESBYTERIAL

Holds 28th Annual Session at Kenansville—Reports and Talks Interesting.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., April 28.—The Wilmington Presbyterial convened in Kenansville Wednesday in its 28th annual session, with the president, Mrs. Joseph A. Brown, of Chadbourn, presiding. After its organization, the devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Robert King, of Kenansville. The greeting was expressed by Mrs. Robert King, and the response was by Mrs. O. L. Clark. There followed a talk by Miss Victoria Hudson, representative of the Barium Springs Orphanage, after which the reports of the president, secretary, and treasurer were made. There was then a round table discussion, conducted by Mrs. J. Johnson, on the subject of the Country church.

Rev. Homer McMillan, D. D., delivered an interesting and instructive address on the subject of Home Missions, on Wednesday evening.

Immediately after convening Thursday morning, the reports from the Ladies' societies were heard. The Home Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church, of Wilmington, came first in the total amount contributed, which was $750, but the Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Whiteville church gave more, per capita, $25, than any other society, and came second with a total contribution of $726. Miss Mary Sloan made the report, and led a discussion on Assembly Home Missions, emphasizing the necessity of paying more attention to this branch of the work. Dr. J. W. Purcel, of Faison, made an interesting short talk on the subject. The report of the Christian Education and Ministerial Relief Secretary was written by Miss Margaret Pierce, of Wilmington, and read by Miss Georgia Hicks, of Faison. The Bible study period was given over to a service conducted by Mrs. John French, of Wilmington. Miss Isabel Arnold explained the efficiency exhibit, after which adjournment was made to partake of a bountiful dinner, served on the grounds by the ladies of Kenansville. The afternoon session began with the report of the Young People's work, read by Mrs. J. Johnson, and a conference on the subject led by Miss Mamie McElwee, of Statesville. Miss Kirk, of Alabama, in one of the most interesting talks of the day, gave a Mission Study demonstration for Young People's Work. Thursday evening session was featured by stereopticon views of Barium Home, and an address by Rev. Thornton Whaling, D. D., from the subject, "The Breadth of the Kingdom."

There was a programme for Friday with talks by noted speakers, and the session closed this evening with a pageant, "Christ in America," by the students of James Sprunt Institute, under the leadership of Mrs. Robert King.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Winter Park Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor: Services tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 10:15. The public is cordially invited ,and a full attendance of the members of the congregation is desired.

Delgado Presbyterian church: Sunday school at 10:15. No preaching service. A larg eattendance at the Sunday school is earnesty desired.

Bethany Presbyterian church: Sunday school at 3:30. No preaching service. A large attendance at the Sunday school is extended to every one to attend the Sunday school.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. John M. Wells, D. D., pastor: Services in the morning at 11. Sunday school in the afternoon at 5. Christian Endeavor at 10:30. No night service.

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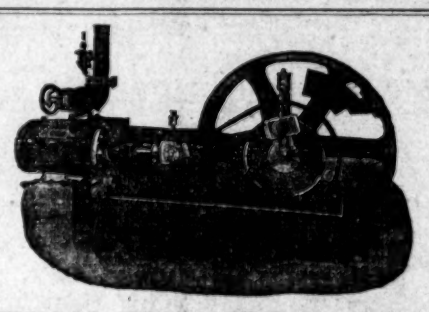

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